The South-Western.

SHREVEPORT:

WEDNESDAY.....OCTOBER 21, 1868.

Miscellaneous Items.

Gen. Lovell is a Savannah River rice planter.

Mr. R. W. Steadman, a brave Southern gentleman, and Dr. William H. Morrow, a Southern scalawag, had a shooting affray at Fayetteville, N. C., last Friday, which resulted in the death of both participants.

John H. Fassey, the fastest type setter North, died in Philadelphia on the 21st ult.

James Gordon Bennett has a daughter of seventeen, who, with James Gordon, Jr., will share the old man's wealth.

Professor Peck, late of New Orleans, now of New York, receives a salary of $5000 from Mr. Bonner, to write exclusively for the New York Ledger.

The Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows of the United States have decided on a centennial celebration at Philadelphia on the 26th of April next.

The project of crossing the Atlantic in a balloon is being revived by the aeronauts. All are willing to have somebody else try it.

The thirteenth section of the Constitution of Liberia is as follows: "None but persons of color shall be admitted to citizenship."

The mother of the notorious Reno brothers, who are charged with the express car robbery near Seymour, Indiana, has died of a broken heart.

One issue of the 240,000 copies of a New York weekly weighs 31,200 pounds, over fifteen tons. This makes a column three feet by two at the base, and one hundred and forty feet high.

"Are you going to take the next train back to New York?" asked one gentleman of another, in Hartford, the other day. "No, I expect the engine will take it back," was the cool rejoinder.

Rev. E. Capers, a Brigadier General in the late Confederate army, was week before last ordained an Episcopal minister by Bishop Davis, of South Carolina.

At the great canned goods establishment at Keyport, N. J., six hundred thousand bushels of tomatoes are canned yearly. Recently sixty thousand pine apples were landed there, cut up, steamed and canned.

A lively scrimmage happened between two ladies (?) in A. T. Stewart's store in New York, recently. Mrs. Gill spat in Mrs. Sinola's face, adding to the insult the cutting remark that the latter's husband had deserted her; whereat Mrs. Spinola smashed her parasol over Mrs. Gill's spiteful head; for which assault she was arrested.

D. O. Sullivan, editor of the Irish People, has commenced a suit against Brick Pomeroy, laying his damages at $25,000 for libel in stating, in the Democrat, that he had been bribed or bought to change the politics of his paper.

Two attempts were made last week to burn the White Sulphur Springs, (Va.) property. Three of the cottages were entirely consumed, and but for the timely assistance rendered by the citizens present, much of this valuable property might have been destroyed. Two negroes were arrested in Covington, Va., suspected of the crime and taken to Greenbriar county, where they will have a hearing.

Dr. Joseph N. McDowell, one of the most distinguished surgeons in the west, and resident of St. Louis for twenty-eight years, died on the morning of the 20th ult., of congestive chill, in the sixty-third year of his age. Dr. McDowell will be remembered by all survivors of the Army of Tennessee, identified as he was with it from the commencement until the close of the war. He was as noted for his eccentricities as he was for his skill as a surgeon, and in that he was not surpassed by any man of his time on the continent.

In 1871 the first really thorough census of India is to be taken. The population is estimated at 150,000,000 souls.

Eve—the only woman who never threatened to go and live with her mother.

There is a lady in Boston who hasn't washed her face in fifteen years. She thinks water injurious to the skin, and uses fine Indian meal in its place.

Boston social circles have been startled by the announcement that a member of the Chinese embassy, which has just left us, has become engaged to a belle of that city and is soon to come back to ratify the matrimonial contract.

Accounts from North Carolina say the yield of cotton to the acre has been decidedly better than last year.

Gov. Orr has removed from South Carolina to St. Joseph, Mo.

"My notion of a wife at forty," said Jerrold, "is that a man should be able to change her like a banknote, for two twenties."

Hood, in describing the meeting of a man and a lion, said: "man ran off with all his might, and the lion with all his main."

Missing the train—putting a sweetheart aboard.

One exchange says the New Jersey Republicans are working like beavers, to which another adds that it must be a "dam" business.

Geo. W. Jamison, the well known actor, was run over and instantly killed at Yonkers, near New York, on Saturday evening, by an express train on the Hudson River Railroad.

An exchange announces that a girl in Topsham, Me., recently died because her blood turned to sugar. But in copying the item, another editor expresses a doubt on the subject, for he says, "We know a girl who, if sweetness were fatal, could not live a minute."

Three enormous cables have just been completed at the dockyard at Chatham, England. They are to be used in towing a floating iron dock to Bermuda. The diameter of these cables is 26 inches. They are each 101 fathoms in length and their aggregate weight is about twenty tons.

The Astor House in New York pays $22,000 per year for butter, $8000 for flour, $15,000 for meat, $12,000 for eggs, $14,000 for milk and cream, $5000 for friction matches, $14,000 for gas and $14,000 for coal.

Espartero, the Duke of Victoria, whom the revolutionists are proclaiming President of Spain, is the son of a wheelwright, born February 27, 1797, in the province of Cuidad Real, and is now seventy-six years old. He is a distinguished statesman and soldier.

A Justice, better versed in law than gospel, not long since married a couple in this way: "Hold up your hands. You solemnly swear that you will perform the duties of your office jointly and severally, according to your best skill and judgment, so help you God. Fee, one dollar."

There are seventeen hundred and twenty tailors in the city of Paris, who turn over about $13,000,000 annually. This does not include the manufactory of children's clothes, nor military supplies, which together reach the figures of about $28,000,000. The trade gives employment to 42,000 work people, of whom 8000 are women.

A mountain of magnetic iron has been discovered in Lapland. It is sufficient to supply the world with magnets.

Queen Isabella, of Spain, weighs two hundred and twenty-five pounds. She has become very homely, and when she appears in public with her two eldest daughters, both of whom are very handsome girls, the contrast is very striking. The queen's husband is the very embodiment of stupidity; he looks in his gorgeous uniform like an idiot wondering why they have dressed him up so nicely.

The judge of a Chicago court requires his lawyers to post a list of the saloons frequented by them, and orders that notice of any motion left at such saloons shall be considered sufficient in any case pending.

The following is said to be a sure cure of felons: As soon as the parts begin to swell wrap the part affected with a cloth thoroughly saturated with the tincture of lobelia, and the felon is dead. An old physician says he has known it to cure in scores of cases, and it never fails if applied in season.

At Dieppe, in France, the following notice has been issued by the police: "The bathing police are requested, when a lady is in danger of drowning, to seize her by the dress, and not by the hair, which oftentimes remains in their grasp. Newfoundland dogs will govern themselves accordingly."

"Ballast for the Grecian Bend" is advertised in a New York store window.

The mammoth new steamer Thompson Dean, cost $135,000.

A dry goods firm in St. Paul, Minnesota, advertised for a salesman a short time ago, and received one hundred and thirty-five applications in answer.

A restaurant keeper in Richmond, Va., refused to deliver up the corpse of a man who had fallen dead in his house, because the deceased was indebted to him.

A fond mother in Cincinnati broke her arm while spanking a disobedient infant the other day. It is a pity the child was too young to fully enjoy the catastrophe.

Russia sends to prison all persons suspected of having spoken Polish.

It is stated that August Belmont has $500,000 worth of pictures.

Isabella needn't come here. We put down Bourbon in this country even with less hesitation than they do in Spain.

Five thousand children are offered for adoption in New York.

In some parts of Middle Tennessee and Kentucky, corn is much injured by the rain, sprouting and rotting on the stalk.

St. Louis has at length given up her artesian well, after going down some three quarters of a mile.

A letter in the Montgomery (Ala.) Mail says: A great revolution has taken place in the Radical ranks in Coosa county. Almost every negro is for Seymour and Blair. Grant won't receive a dozen votes in this county.

A late Quarterly Review estimates the population of the world at 1,350,000,000. Of these 195,000,000 are Roman Catholics, 96,000,000 are Protestants, leaving more than ten hundred and fifty millions of Pagans and Mohammedans.

The Memphis and Charleston railroad, in its last fiscal year, earned $1,179,921—a decrease of $196,698 from the preceding year. The net earnings were $314,806.

The old settlers of Illinois had a great gathering the other day at Clear Lake, near Springfield. The oldest settler, in the company of 4000 to 5000 assembled, went to Sangamon county in 1817.

The latest Paris velocipede carries two persons and a footman to propel.

The Salt Lake theater is said to be one of the finest in the country.

A Cincinnati physician, 73 years of age, dandles his twenty-first baby.

BILLINGS ON THINGS GENERALLY.—Pleasure is like a hornet—generally ends with a sting.

The most dangerous characters in the world az those who live in the suburbs of virtew—they ar rotten az ice.

Laziness iz a good deal like money—the more a man has of it the more he seems tu want.

There iz no such thing az inheriting virtew; money and titles and fever sores kan be inherited.

The virtew of a convent are like hot house fruit—tender but tasteless.

Life iz like a mountain—after climbing up one side and sliding down the other, put up the sled.

When a man proves a literary failure he generally sets up far a critick, and like the fox in the fable, who lost his bush in the trap, kant see a nice long tail without hankering to bob it.

The devil owes much of his success to the fackt that he iz alwaz on hand.

There is only one excuse for impudence, and that iz ignorance.

Modest men, in trying to be impudent, alwaz get sassy.

Reputashun iz like money—the principal is often lost by putting it out on interest.

Jealousy iz nothing more than vanity, for if we love another more than we do ourself we shant be jealous.

There iz lots ov folks in this world who, rather than not find enny fault at all, wouldn't hesitate tew say to an angle—worm that his tail was altogether too long for the rest of his body.

Envy iz an insult to man's good sense, for envy iz the pain we feel at the excellencies of others.

How menny people there iz whose souls lay in them like pith in a goose quill.

ANECDOTE OF GOV. SEYMOUR.—A writer in the St. Louis Republican relates the following:

A few years ago Gov. Seymour, being in delicate health, spent the summer months in Wisconsin with a friend with whom he made frequent excursions on and around Green Bay. On one of these pleasure trips, while sailing on the bay, they were overtaken by a severe thunder storm, which was as sudden as it was violent, and which caused them to row rapidly to the shore in search of a temporary shelter. Upon landing they espied a low log cabin into which they entered, and found it tenanted by an old sailor and his wife. With the "yarning" propensity of the tar and the garrulousness natural to an old man, he quickly made the visitors acquainted with his past life, recounting the many hardships he had undergone and the heavy losses he had sustained at various trying periods of his life. Everything around him, though scrupulously neat and clean, betokened needy want, almost to destitution, the furniture being of the poorest and scantiest. By this time the storm had abated and the weather was fine again. The friend of the Governor took his leave thanking the old sailor for the shelter he had afforded him. Waiting for Gov. Seymour to join him he took up a position near the window of the cabin where he could command a view of the whole interior without being observed. He saw the hands of the poor man and his rich visitor joined, bidding each other adieu. He also noticed when those hands parted that a glittering twenty dollar gold piece lay in the horny palm of the sailor, who was invoking the blessing of Almighty God upon the beneficent donor. He saw, too, that tears was standing in his friend's eyes, and heard him charge the old man to apply to him for relief should he again find himself in need of assistance. The noble act was performed, as Seymour thought, with no one to witness it except his humble hostess and the all-seeing Creator of the universe.

THE SLANG EPIDEMIC.—Periodically our exchanges come to us teeming with perversions of grammar that are supposed to hide some point of humor. If they do so the secreting is most effectual, for perhaps the very least humorous part of our American humorists is their bad spelling. Dr. Bagby—while the head of his class in spelling and sometimes exceedingly funny—could still be more powerful and quite as witty in the strong, plain English he often uses so well. And Josh Billings and the rest of the school really do injustice to the solid common sense they clothe in verbal motley.

The latest form in which the epidemic has broken out is to distort the termination of words—especially those indicating profession. A New York critic gravely discourses about the fascinating little Jinna of the *Barbe-Bleu* as an "eminent singist;" a Boston paper calls an editor a "writist;" one in New Hampshire speaks of a "hair cuttist;" and a Pennsylvanian titles Paul Morphy as a "chessist." This style of thing is getting to be disgusting. It never was funny, and we are always reminded by it of the serio-comic velvin which Dr. Holmes gives his really sound denunciation of such practices, when he says: "He who trifles with the sanctity of the vocabulary would violate the paternal till without remorse, and repeat the banquet of Saturn without an indigestion." [Louisville Democrat.

A TURKISH LADY BATHING.—Her attire is first removed. An attendant takes a glove—every day it is a new glove—of undressed silk. With the disengaged hand she pours over her mistress basins of warm water. Then by means of gentle friction with the glove she slowly removes the salts and impurities which are deposited on the skin. This finished, the attendant covers the lady from head to foot, by means of a mop of downy silk, with a lather made of a peculiar soap—peculiar, I believe, in Turkey. Upon this soap depends much of that peach-like softness and snowy whiteness of the skin, for which Eastern women always are so remarkable. It has the reputation of removing stains, spots and freckles that are not deeply marked in the cuticle. This part of the matter having been carefully performed, the lady is again deluged with water heated to 110 or 120 degrees, and poured from a tub (basin) of silver. Large towels—we might call them sheets—of the finest white muslin, richly embroidered with flowers and gold, are wrapped around her, and she is led into a saloon, where, rolling up a heap of cushions, she sinks into a soft, dreamlike languor, that might become falsetto, were it not for the assiduity with which a slave fans her. As soon as she is sufficiently recovered to hear it, another slave combs, perfumes, and disposes her hair in ornamental braids. The hour after the bath is one of gentle, sleepy dreaminess.

A FEARFUL TRAGEDY OF SIX ACTS IN FOUR YEARS.—In 1864 an old and highly esteemed citizen of Rossville, East Tennessee—Mr. Cain, was killed by a young Federal soldier—a citizen of the same county, named Bowley. A short time afterward Bowley was killed by one of the sons of old man Cain. But a short time was left for young Cain to live. He fell a victim to the murderous hand of a friend of Bowley's, Bill Sizemore, who shortly after the killing of young Cain completed the list of his murders by brutally murdering Lieut. Thurman, of Hawkins county. Sizemore did not long live to gloat over his deeds of blood. The avenger was on his path, and in a very short time Sizemore was struck down by a bullet from the pistol of I. C. Willis. Willis is now murder I.

On Sunday evening last, Mr. I. C. Willis, who, it will be remembered, killed the notorious Bill Sizemore, about a year ago, in Hawkins county, was himself murdered on Clinch, in said county, by a man named Burton, between whom and Burton there had been an old grudge. The full particulars of the murder are not given. Willis was shot first in the side. The wound not producing instant death, he asked that he might be permitted to see his wife, but Burton did not spare him. He then shot him in the head, killing him instantly. Willis did not fire a shot. The shooting was done while both were on horseback.

[Knoxville, (Tenn.) Press and Herald.

HISTORICAL RESEARCHES ABOUT AMERICA.—Dr. Leonard Woods, ex President of Bowdoin College, has just returned from a fifteen months' sojourn in Europe. While abroad he was led into some very extended historical researches, which are likely to be of much importance to students of history. He has seen and noted some seventy-five maps of America, issued during the early part of the sixteenth century, and Mr. Kohl, of Berlin, is about to publish copies of several of them, under the auspices of the Maine Historical Society. Dr. Woods also discovered among the unarranged manuscripts of Sir Thomas Phillips, of Cheltenham, a long lost manuscript of Hackluyt's, in twenty chapters, concerning the "great necessitie and manifold commodyties that are like to growe to this Realme of Englande by the Western discoveries." He was very generously allowed to take copies of it by Sir Thomas, and has brought home with him an accurate version of the rare document.

The Brooklyn Eagle, a Democratic paper of the strictest school, publishes the following amusing dispatch:

SQUEDUNK, MAINE.

To C. O'Lanus, Esq.:

The election in this town has gone just as we expected. The Republicans have carried the town by an increased majority, but the heaviest proportionate gain has been on the Democratic side, as you will see by the figures:

	1866.	1868.
Republican vote	50	60
Democratic vote	1	2
Total	51	62

The Democratic gain is one hundred per cent, while the Republicans gain only twenty per cent. At this rate the redemption of Maine is only a question of time.

Yours, HUGH B. BLODE.

The "Wickedest Man" revivals in New York are "abating." Johnny Allen now repents himself that he ever "repented," and says that the preachers are so hard on the poor prostitutes, and paint their sins with such mortal blackness that the forlorn creatures are discouraged in all attempts at reformation, preferring hell-fire in the future to pharisaical scowls in the present. The new issue of Christians from the dance-houses and rat-pits unfortunately are turning out to be counterfeits, and the reason seems to be that those engaged in making them seem to be more anxious to advertise their own immaculate goodness and philanthropic dispositions than to really improve the condition of their degraded fellow creatures.

ARMS CONCEALED IN A COFFIN.—A Newbern (N.C.) dispatch of the 10th inst., says in a correspondence between Gen. Miles and Gov. Holden, of this State, the latter states that a box of arms was recently found concealed in this city by a certain political organization. The arms referred to were found in the house used for the meetings of the Union League, and were concealed in a coffin. Several coffins supposed to contain arms have recently been sent out in the country by prominent Radicals in this vicinity.

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IRON TIES;
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CORDIALS,
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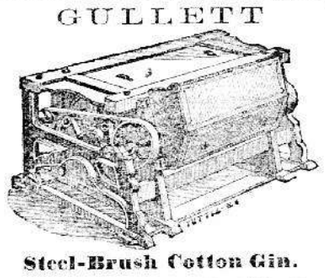

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