

CRUELTY TO SQUAWS.—The *Trinity Journal* says it is not uncommon, in that county, for white men to compel Indian women to live with them. There are white men who, when they cannot obtain a squaw by fair means, will not hesitate to use foul. But little persuasion is too often used in the matter, and to drag off the squaw, and to knock down her friends if they interfere, not uncommonly occurs; and very often there have been instances where these women were obliged to leave the ranches and seek safety in flight, remaining in the mountains for days together, to avoid the violence of men who, under the influence of liquor, will not hesitate to do any deed. Every person who knows the character of our Indians knows that above all things they fear a drunken man. Families of Indians have been known to be driven from their homes in the dead of winter by crowds of drunken men, and in the absence of legal proof nothing could be done for their protection.

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| <p>FROM NEW ORLEANS. NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 14, 1857.</p> | <p>OUR GOSSIPING CORRESPONDENCE (from one of our special correspondents)</p> | <p>them in this communication." In so doing, I believe I may with safety state that Dr. Livingston is the greatest of employers in Southern</p> | <p>time, and any attempt to ascend the river, will result in defeat and annihilation. Yours etc.</p> |
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