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Cromwell, "But God manifesting himself that he hath shaken, tumbled down and trampled under foot whatever he hath not planted." In the present condition of the executive temper we are now realizing, the truth of this saying. Some of our Radical far seeing divines imagined they discerned in the assassination of Lincoln an interference from on high, by which an overruling Providence had removed a man whose temper was too mild and yielding for the crisis, to make room for one "whose little finger was heavier than the Joins of Lincoln." How vain and short sighted these speculations! On the contrary, the way appears to have been cleared for Andrew Johnson, that he might rescue this nation from the insidious designs of compromising radicalism, whose only object was, and still is, the overthrow of republican institutions. The great, the absorbing issue now presented to the American people, is the restoration of the eleven States, kept back from all their right and privileges in the Union and under the Constitution. Like Aaron's rod it swallows up all the others. Partisan prejudices and predictions must be laid aside in this grave hour of the country's danger. Patriotic men of all parties must rally to the side of the President, and defend him from the machinations and conspiracies of the bold bad men who now bear rule in Congress at Washington. The whole conservative strength of the country should be summoned to the rescue of the Constitution, the Union, and the laws from the control of a faction that appears to have adopted as their motto, "After us, the deluge." Your respectfully,

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Filing it On.
A Disunionist never lies by retail

He must do it as he plundered the Government, by wholesale, on no

Government—by wholesale—or not at all. Hence we find an anonymous "Memphis" letter in a Disunion Chicago organ, which overflows with

"vividness." The writer saw (in fancy of course) "an old man of color, bending under the weight of seventy summers of bondage." He was "quietly eating an apple" of course—there was

A "band of diabolical demons" rode up; dismounted; seized him by the collar; threw him to the ground; a huge man placed upon his breast; the

“an Irish villain struck him in the face with a heavy stick;” a second shot him in the abdomen; a third laid a crobar over his head; a fourth hamstrung him; a fifth “butcher knelt over his prostrate form and shoved his knife in his mouth, wrenching his

... jaws assunder, severed his tongue and cut it out by the roots," and then his body was chopped to pieces with hatchets and kicked, piece meal into the gutter.

This we are told, "was the most hellish act of the rioters except one." That one was about a policeman, who chased a negro into a shantee, but no

succeeding in finding his prey, he seized a little five year old "mulatto girl by the leg: dragged her out behind the shantee, deliberately" (always deliberately) "cut her eyes out of their

The Disunionists have served their

ten and twenty years in the business of inventing "atrocities" and "harrowing spectacles," and are by no means dabblers at the business, though sometimes, as in the foregoing, like care

less painters, they do get a little too much ochre in their sunsets.—*Patriot & Union*.

HORRIBLE TRAGEDY.—A horrible

tragedy was enacted in Caldwell county, Kentucky, on Thursday last. Andrew Alexander, sixty years of age had frequent and violent quarrels with his wife. Early on Thursday morn-

ing, when both man and wife were alone in the house, the wife shot her husband twice, killing him instantly. Alexander's son was at the barn, and hearing the reports of the pistol was

hearing the reports of the pistol, went to the house. As he entered the door his step-mother turned and fired upon him twice, slightly wounding him each time. He fled to the nearest neighbor's for assistance and help.

neighbors for assistance, and while on the way he heard the report of the pistol again. When the neighbors arrived they found her dead in the yard, she having shot herself.

The druggists in St. Louis devoted the proceeds of their sales of soda-water on Tuesday to the Southern Relief Association.

—An elephant, valued at \$15,000 and attached to Bailey & Co.'s menagerie died at Belefust, Mo., on Thursday.

