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 TEDEESDAY, NOVEMBER 3,1855 .
TEE VERDICT ON LECOMP
TONISM. tions in Ohio, Pennsylvania; and Indi
ana have taken place, and resulted dis antrously to the Democratic party,
ascribe those reverses to the/cour aseribe those reverses to the course
purisued by Mr. Börianan and the par-
ty last winter, in refercnce to the Kan. ty, last winter, in reference to the Kan-

- question. Lecomptonism, it is said,
was the rock upen which the Democratic vessel lias been stranded, and hene
that it has been overwhelmingly that it has been overwhelmingly rep
diated by our American people, and t
National men who had stood by him bly grebuked. Now, althougrit we ca
blo -rot preteid to say to what extent th question entered into the recent co contradiction, that if Demococratic or Op.
position majorities in the different States of the Union, fournigh any index of pub pasition of the Pregident and the party
been triumphantly sustained and vindi. en triumphantly sustained and vidy
ated. Since the passage of the Eng. occurred in the subjoined States, with
the following resuils:

 Maspority in favor of Lecoumpton, si,
It mey be said in reply to this, that The Slates inuwtion the largest majo Southern States, and that, as an expre
sion of popular opinion on this subject they are entirely worthless, and shoul objection would only prove the object irely anesstremfe sectionalist, and èn
incompetent to take a broad an comprebensive viev, overlooking nind
embracing the entire country. Was embracing the entire country. Was
not the Kansas question a national one, ry section were involved? No one can be national, conservative and Con-
stitution-loving, unless he pays a proper respect, and gives due weight to the Union; and it will be a dark and omin. happen that, through the popular phiren be elevated to the Presidency, bound scorn any part of the Union, in defanice rotect and shield all alike.
Much as we respect pu
heré in Pennsylvania; hrough lawful and legitimate chann confidence has been weakened, for
ter ity of tis manifestations on the subje of party polities, and of great national on this poiut. In 1852, Gen. Preriee, eceived over his competitor, Gen yer 19,000 votes; ; wo years thereaft Gor: Breler, the Democratic candid pright and fanlthess, ) was beaten b Pouloís, the Black Republican un votes; last yoar. on their gubernat or
candidate, the Deñocratic party sw y of about 40,000 , whilst this y hey fall behind some 28,000 . But it Pennsylvania alone. It is a characte well of New York, Maine, Ne Hampshire, Ohio, Itriana, Illinois and
Michigan, and other States north of Maon and Dixon's liue. But it is not professional office-deeking is not so
miveh an evil and an abomination, and mueh an evil and an abomination, and
iherefore that there is less inducement or demagogues to raise a popular clam Bentiment, we are not prepared to say.
But the fact stands out boluly and sif. nificantly in our National politics, tha White we can foretell almost to a cer anf any great public question that may
arise, the future status of many of our Noribern States bafles all calculatio The papt io no guarantee for the futur Lecompton issue, which has been gu Heed so far by


## mad impulse and clamor of the hour for championing the right, will be tat- en back inno popular oconidenee and fo. sor, white those who have proved frith. less in the time of tring, will eet te cov. ered with infamy and disgrace. - Penn. THANKSGIVING..



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