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SATURDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 27, 1855.

SPEECH OF GOV. SEWARD, AT THE REPUBLICAN MEETING AT ALBANY.

[CONTINUED.]

In 1804 France ceded to the United States a broad belt stretching along the western bank of the Missippi, from the British possessions on the north to the Spanish province of Texas on the south. This acquisition, which was equally necessary for the safety of the country and for the uses of commerce, stimulated the desire of the privileged class for an extension of their territory and an aggrandizement of their power. New Orleans, situated practically on the coast of the Gulf of Mexico, was already at once an ancient slaveholding colony and an important commercial mart. It lay contiguous to the slaveholding states. Under these circumstances, it was without any resistance soon organized and admitted into the Union, with its ancient laws and customs tolerating slavery. St. Louis, though destined to acquire great commercial importance, was as yet an inconsiderable town, with few slaveholders and slaves. The Mississippi only divided it from the North-west Territory which was already consecrated to freedom. The best interests of the country required and humanity demanded that the ordinance of 1787, should be extended across the Mississippi. The privileged class, however, took possession of the region around St. Louis, and made partial settlements lower down on the west bank of the Mississippi. St. Louis and its environs matured as a State in 1819, and demanded admission with Slavery into the Union. Then, only thirty-two years after the passage of the ordinance of 1787, and after its unanimous ratification by the American people, the privileged class made common cause with the new slaveholding State, and assuming a tone at once bold, insolent and menacing, they denied the power of Congress, although in the Territories it was supreme and exclusive, and equally supreme and exclusive in the admission of new States, to legislate at all against their privileges in the Territories, or to refuse admission to a new State, on the ground of its refusal to surrender or abate those privileges; and they threatened in one loud voice to subvert the Union, if Missouri should be rejected. The privileged class were backed then by the Senate of the United States, as they have been backed on all similar occasions since that time. They were met, however, with firmness and decision by the unprivileged class in the House of Representatives, and so Missouri failed then to be admitted as a Slave State. The privileged class resorted to a new form of strategy, the strategy of compromise. They offered to be satisfied if Missouri only should be admitted as a Slave State, while Congress should prohibit Slavery forever in all the residue of that part of the Louisiana purchase which lay north of the parallel of 36° 30' of north latitude. The territory lying between the parallel and the province of Texas, and constituting what is now the State of Arkansas, being left by implication to Slavery. This compromise was accepted, and thus diplomacy obtained for the privileged class immediate advantages which had been denied to their clamor, and passion. This compromise, however, could have only the authority of a repealable act of Congress, so far as the prohibition of Slavery north of 36° 30' was concerned. Wise and great men contrived extraordinary forms to bind the faith of the privileged class to that perpetual inhibition. They gave to the compromise the nature form of a contract, with mutual equivalents between the privileged class and the unprivileged class, which it would be dishonorable and perfidious on the part of the privileged class, at any time, on any grounds or under any circumstances to annul or revoke, or to draw in question. They proclaimed it to be a contract proper to be submitted to the people, themselves for their ratification in the popular election. It was so submitted to the people, and so ratified by them. By virtue of this compromise Missouri came immediately into the Union as a Slave State, and Arkansas followed soon afterward as a Slave State, while, with the exception of Missouri, the compromise of 1787, by virtue of the same compromise, was extended across the Mississippi, along the parallel of 36° 30', to the Rocky mountains. Thus, and with such solemnities, was the strife of the privileged class of slaveholders for aggrandizement of territory finally composed forever settled.

It is not my purpose to discuss the policy or the justice of that great sentiment. As in the case of the constitution, the responsibility for that great measure rests with a generation that has passed away. We have to deal with it only as a fact, and with the state of affairs that was established by it.

The occupation of the new region west of the Mississippi, which had thus been saved for Freedom, was artfully postponed indefinitely by dedicating it as a home for the concentrated but perishing Indian tribes. It sounds in favor of the humanity of the unprivileged class, if not of their prudence that they neither remonstrated nor complained of that dedication.

The success of the privileged class, in securing to themselves immediate possession of Missouri and Arkansas in exchange for the reversionary interest of the unprivileged class in the remainder of the Louisiana purchase, stimulated them to move for new national purchases of domain, which might yield them further acquisitions. Spain was unable to retain longer the slaveholding provinces of East Florida and West Florida which lay adjacent to the Slave States. They fell to the United States by an easy purchase and the privileged class with due diligence procured their organization as a State and its admission into the Union. The spell of territorial aggrandizement had fallen on the United States of America and simultaneously the spell of dissolution had fallen on the United States of Mexico. The privileged class on our side of the border entered Texas, established Slavery there in violation of Mexican laws, detached that territory from Mexico, and organized it as an independent sovereign State.—Texas, thus independent and sovereign sought annexation to the United States. In the very hour when the virtue of a sufficient number of the unprivileged classes was giving way to effect a constitutional annexation of Texas, the President of the United States, with a senate not less subservient to the privileged class, executed a *coup d' etat* by which that State unlawfully, and in defiance of all precedent, came into the Union under a covenant stipulating that four new Slave States might be created out of its territory and admitted as Slave States while, by a solemn mockery, and inconsiderable fragment that lay north of 36° 30' was ostentatiously dedicated to Freedom. There remained no other new territory within the United States, and so by this strange partition of Texas there was a third final settlement of the pretentions of the privileged class; and it was acquiesced in by the unprivileged classes who thought themselves secure in the old North west Territory by the Ordinance of 1807, and equally safe in Kansas and Nebraska by the Missouri Compromise.

The public repose that followed the annexation of Texas was of short duration. Mexico resented that offence. A war ensued, and terminated in the transfer of the entire northern portion of Mexico to the United States. The Mexican municipal laws forbade Slavery everywhere, and the new possessions were under that law.—Not a whit the less for that reason did the privileged class demand either an equal partition, or that the whole should be opened to their colonization with slaves. The House of Representatives resisted these pretensions, as it had resisted similar ones before; but the Senate seconded the privileged class with its accustomed zeal. So Congress was divided and failed to organize civil governments for the newly acquired Mexican territories, and they were left under martial law.—The question raised by the privileged class went down to the electors. The people promptly filled the House of Representatives with a majority sternly opposed to the extension of Slavery the breadth of a single square mile. They increased the force of the unprivileged class in the Senate, while they called to the presidency General Taylor, who although himself a slaveholder, was committed to non-intervention on the question in Congress and to execute faithfully whatever constitutional laws Congress should adopt. Under these circumstances California and New Mexico, youthful communities, practically free from Slavery and uncorrupted by the seductions of the privileged class of its political organs, hastened to establish constitutions and apply for admission as Free States, while the eccentric population of Deseret, indulging latitudinarian principles equally in matters of religion and of politics, prayed to be received into the Union as a State or as a Territory, and with or without Slavery as Congress should prescribe. The privileged class remonstrated, and a seditious movement was organized in their behalf in the slaveholding States to overawe Congress, if possible, and to inaugurate revolution if their menaces failed. You all know well the way of that memorable controversy. How eminent men yielded to the menaces without waiting for the revolution, and projected and tendered to the privileged class a new compromise, modeled after the already time-honored compromise of 1820. You all know how firmly, notwithstanding this defection of leaders, honored and beloved, the House of Representatives and even the Senate repelled the compromise, and how firmly the unprivileged class of freemen throughout the Union demanded the unqualified and unconditional admission of California into the Union, and refused to allot any further territories to the privileged class for the extension of the system of human bondage. You all remember too, how in a critical hour the President sickened and died, and how the hearts of Congress and of all the people sorrowed at his grave, and thenceforward all was lost. You remember how the provisional successor of that lamented President with ominous haste accepted the resignation of his cabinet and committed the seals to a new one pledged like himself to the adoption of the compromise, which the people had condemned, and how at last after a painful struggle its adoption was effected. I think, also, that you have not thus soon forgotten the terms of that compromise, the fourth, final and everlasting settlement of the conflict between the privileged and the unprivileged classes of this Republic. You have not forgotten how the ordinance of 1787, which excluded Slavery from the region north-west of the Ohio, was left to stand as an institution too sacred to be even questioned. How the Missouri compromise which extended that ordinance across the Mississippi and over all Kansas and Nebraska, was made at once the authority, precedent and formula of the new compromise, and even declared to be an irrepealable law forever. How California, which refused to become a Slave State, was grudgingly admitted into the Union as a free one. How the hateful and detestable slave auctions were banished from under the eaves of the capitol, quite across to the opposite bank of the Potomac river. And how in consideration of these magnanimous and vast concessions made by the privileged class, it was stipulated that slavery should be continued in the District of Columbia as long as the privileged class should require its continuance. New Mexico, with her free constitution, was superciliously remanded to her native mountains, while without a hearing, her ancient and free territory was dismembered, and its fairest part transferred to Texas, with the addition of ten millions of dollars, to win its acceptance by that defiant privileged State. You remember how it was solemnly stipulated that Utah and New-Mexico, if the slaveholders could corrupt them, should come into the Union, in due time, as slaveholding States; and, finally, how the privileged class, so highly offended and exasperated, were brought to accept this compromise on their part, by a reenactment of the then absolute fugitive slave law of 1793, with the addition of the revolting features of an attempted suspension of the habeas corpus; an absolute prohibition of the trial by jury, an effective repeal of vital rules of procedure and evidence, and the substitution of commissioners in place of courts of justice, in derogation of the Constitution. You all remember how laboriously and ostentatiously this compromise was associated with the time honored forms and solemnities of the Missouri compromise; how it was declared not the result of mere ordinary legislation, but a contract with mutual equivalents by the privileged with the unprivileged classes, irrepealable and even unamendable without perfidy, and even treason against the Constitution and the Union. You all remember how, notwithstanding your protest and mine, it was urgently, violently, clamorously ratified and confirmed, as a full, fair and final and perpetual adjustment by the two great political conventions of the country, representing the whole people of the United States, and at Baltimore in 1852, and how the heroic and generous Scott was rejected to bring into the Presidency one who might more safely be trusted to defend and preserve and establish it forever.

Nevertheless, scarcely one year had elapsed before the privileged class, using some of our own representatives as their instruments, broke up not only this compromise of 1850, but even the compromise of 1820 and the ordinance of 1787, and obtained the declaration of Congress that all these settlements, so far as they were adverse to the privileged class, were unconstitutional usurpations of legislative power.

(CONCLUDED ON MONDAY.)

AN UNALTERABLE AND UNCOUNTERFEITABLE BANK NOTE.—The New York *Courier* gives the following description of a bank note that can neither be altered or counterfeited:—

It is a check plate intended for the backs of all bills, of all denominations, and for all banks. It is to be printed in two colors, and a particular combination of colors to designate the denomination of the notes. The use of but one plate for all bills, it is believed, will enable the public soon to become perfectly familiar with all its peculiarities, which they cannot now do with the multiplicity of designs on the bills in circulation.—The engraving is of the simplest character, yet the most difficult of execution, or of imitation, of anything before attempted. It consists of roman capital letters crossed with straight lines—the letters composing an alphabetical list of words. The lines, as they cross the letters, form thousands of peculiar geometric figures, each and every one of which, as well as the letters themselves, and their points of intersection by the lines, and the particular relation of the letters to the lines, serve as so many test points, to assist the eye in distinguishing a false from a true note. Every man may thus select a test point of his own, different from every other man's. By the alphabetical arrangement of the words, it would be very easy, if a counterfeit impression should ever appear, to point out, though the newspapers, the precise places where the discrepancies exist, and thus call the attention of the whole public directly to the exact spot, or word, or letter, where the differences occur. The inimitable character of the plate lies in this—that the letters cannot be engraved in such perfection by hand, nor crossed by the straight lines at precisely the same points. The letters composing this plate were obtained from dies.—Each similar letter, therefore, is precisely like its fellow—each being made by the same die.—No engraver, whatever his skill, can cut letters of such perfect uniformity; and even if he could, he could never cross them, with straight lines, at precisely the same points.

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GOV. CHASE ON SENATOR DOUGLAS AND THE OHIO ELECTION.—At a complimentary supper given to the Hon. L. D. Campbell, by a few of his friends in this city, on Saturday night, the Governor of Ohio elect, made a brief speech, in which occurred a hit so happy and pungent that we must give it publicity. Mr. Chase said that on the evening when it seemed apparent that he was defeated, Mr. Douglas, of Illinois,—though forbidden by the Democratic Executive Committee in solemn council assembled, to speak in this State before the election—was called upon to address the rejoicing Democracy at the *Enquirer* office. There Mr. Douglas said that he proudly congratulated the State of Ohio in the language of the great Irish orator, Curran, she had been "redeemed, regenerated and disenthralled"—"And next day," said Mr. Chase, "the returns from the country enabled us to add with singular propriety, the words of Curran that Mr. Douglas could not use—the concluding words of *the very sentence* from which Douglas had quoted viz:—'BY THE IRRESISTABLE GENIUS OF UNIVERSAL EMANCIPATION.'" The sentence occurs in Curran's speech in the case of Hamilton Rowan.—*Cin. Commercial.*

KIDNAPPER ARRESTED.—The Hollidaysburg *Whig* states that on Saturday last the community of that borough was thrown into a state of excitement, by the attempt of a man from Virginia, as he represented himself, forcibly to carry off a negro, who, he alleged, belonged to a citizen of Virginia, and was his slave. A number of citizens interfered with his effort to forcibly carry off the colored man, and demanded of him by what authority he made the arrest, which he refused, stating that he acted under the laws of Congress, and cursed the laws of Pennsylvania. He not being in possession of the requisite authority for carrying off the negro, he was permitted to run at large. A warrant was then issued for the negro catcher, which was served, and the defendant bound over in the sum of two thousand dollars for his appearance at this term of our Court. The laws of the United States and of Pennsylvania do not permit a man, whether the property he claims belongs to him or not, to forcibly and without producing his authority carry off a human being, without having his case properly adjudicated before some legal officer.

TOUCHING EXHIBITION OF GRATITUDE.—One of the Philadelphia papers relates the following of a German girl named Mary Skallinski, who was placed on trial on Monday, for the alleged larceny of a hundred dollars. She was defended by Wm. H. Martin, Esq. The defendant was acquitted, and late in the afternoon of Monday, when the jury had rendered a verdict of "not guilty in manner and form as indicted," while the court house was crowded with spectators, forgetful of every feeling but joy at her release, and gratitude to her defender, she astonished Mr. Martin, the court, the bar and the lookers on, by such an affectionate embrace and such a kiss as was distinctly heard throughout the court room. Mr. M. was rather taken aback by this novel fee, but he submitted with the best grace possible. The tears streamed down the face of the poor girl as she left the court room, grateful for the defence which had been made in her behalf, and regardless of the remarks elicited by her novel mode of evincing her gratitude.

The Armenian archbishop of Lemberg, Samuel Stephanowicz, the Nestor of Christian priests, has just completed his 105th year.

The Missouri *Democrat's* Kansas correspondent writes of the lawyers in Kansas: "There are no civil defenses in Lawrence! 'Sue,' it is humorously said, has not arrived in town yet. There are a great number of lawyers in Lawrence; but there is not one who will take a fee to plead before the courts recently organized by the Barons of Kansas. God works wonders now and then, as Ben. Johnson wrote; here live lawyers who put their conscientious scruples above their practice."

THE Sandusky *Register* says that the supply of quinine (for fever and ague) is exausted in three of the principal towns on the wabash in Indiana. Terre Haute ran short first and then made a run on Vincennes, and exausted the stock there. Vincennes drew on Evansville, and cleaned that city out. The Indian State *Journal* says: "From every quarter of the State we hear the groanings of back-aching side-racked patients."

SOME scamp of a fellow stole a pair of boots from the editorial sanctum of the Boston Post. Hear what the Editor says of the transaction:—"The man who stole a pair of boots from the editorial room of the Post on Saturday night last, or Sunday morning, is probably dead before this time, if he has worn them, as *there was poison in their tops*, placed there to detect the thief."

During the recent trial of M'Donald, for murder, in Hampshire county, Virginia, it was observed that there were three witnesses between whom there was so close a resemblance as to render it difficult to distinguish one from the other. On inquiry it turned out that they were brothers, and all came into the world at the same time.

The storm on Lake Michigan was far more disastrous than at first imagined. The propeller Allegheny was totally wrecked—loss $75,000.—The schooner Orleans went ashore at Milwaukee, and three of her crew were drowned in attempting to make land. Three other schooners reported ashore.

The Lowell *Courier* gives the population of Lowell, under the recent census, as 37,553, of whom 24,442 are natives, and 14,141 foreigners. The gain from 1840 is 4,170. The preponderance of females over males is 7,087.

The Madison *Banner* says every body in that region is engaged in building corn cribs. The like of the crops in Kentucky and Indiana was never seen before. Farmers have their hands full.

A NEAT BRICK COTTAGE HOUSE FOR SALE, situate at about 300 yards from the R. R. Station at East Liberty. The house contains 4 large rooms and good cellar, and is surrounded with choice fruit trees. Also, an abundance of grapes. The lot fronts 80 feet on the turnpike by 94 deep and is a corner lot. Price $1750. Terms easy. S. CUTHBERT & SON, 53 Market st.

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