## Tuesday Alternoon, February 19, 1861.

 Mr. Lincoln's Policy. We have no disposition, on our part, nordo we believe there is any disposition on of Peart of the great massivania, to of the peor, in the adjustment of existing national difficulties, what is now denominated, by glibe orators and
flippant writers, a "backing down" policy We are now, as we have been, and as
elieve the people of Pennsyivaniestil are, firmly and irreconcileably opposed to the surrender of one jot or tittle of the true prinoiples of our Repablican systen of Government. Opposed, now as ever
to the extenion of slavery over territory ow free, we would not yield this poin
uder any circumstances, not even to con ciliate the Border Slave States, importan But, while we entertain theese view and feelings, we can bave no sympathy all exhibition of a spirit of liberality and States, and manifest a disposition rathe o aggravate than conciliate the people o hose among them whò are friends and apporters of Mr. Lincoln, and who, bis views and feelings, we commend the oareful perusal of the following extrac a bat a brief year ago, and which, w doubt not the least, expressee his prisen,
feeliugs, and enibodies the policy means to pursue in the Administration of "Ihe Government: "It is exceedingly dosirable", siadd Mr. Lin
coln "that all parts of this great Couffederacy
sball be at poace, and in harmooy one with
 Cenands, and yied them if, in outr deliberate veev of
Wrongs and Remedres.-The Seces sionists complain that some of the slave Their remedy is to dissolve the Union : that not a solitary one shall be returned out temptations to slaves to run äway:Their remedy is to provide that fifty or
hundred run away where one runs aw now. They complain that the North is opposed to increasing the number of glav
States. Their remedy is, by multiplying he facilitios for the escape of fugitiv slaves everywhere upon the border, to
change several of the present slave States into free States. They complain that the Abolitionists contemplate atriking a blow tol than all the blows the Abolitioniats could strike at it in a quarter of a cen tury.
Slaveriolding Indians.-The return dian commanities west of the State Arkainsas have been received by the Dé ies referred to are the Choctaws, Chero kees, Chickasaws and Seminoles. Mo slaveholders. The Seminoles were th only tribe which refused to lot the Assisteral thonsend anate their slaves. Sa tribes, taken in the aggregate, and thes slaves are employed by the Indians in cul tivating thir lands, and are well an
kindly treated. Parson Browniow Firn to trar. End
In the last issue of the Knoxile Parson Brownlow says :- - of the ninth
We are informed that Mr.
civil district of Knox, has. company at any tite, to come to Knoxvilie an
hang the eedito of this paper. We propes nex
Monday as a euitable dap, and we novite ou



THE Wilmington Journal, published pablican State (Delaware) is an ultra It appears the new Southern




## Mrs Slemme

Slemmer, (the horoine of wife of Lieu, arrived at Norristown within a few day orenaded by the Norristown Brass Band The Star Spangled Banner and other p triolio airs were performed.

| An Important Movement in New Mexico.-The Legislature of New Mexi- |  |
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| co has passed an act for the election of delegates to form a State Constitution, | phy |
| whioh is to be held in May next. The |  |
| delegates are to meet in June to discharge the duties which will thus be imposed |  |
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| upon them, and the Constitution they | he |
| form is afterward to be submitted to the |  |
| people, for ratification or rejection, at a general election to be held in September |  |
| Thus the way is rapidly being paved for the admission of this region into the |  |
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| the admission of this region into the Union, and after that event we will have |  |

to the slavery question is doubtful enough
to farnish a desent pretext for further an
gry agitation on this subject.

## coercion" is arrant nonsense. For rond goveriment which has attained the ighest position among the nations of the arth, to ingist upon enforcing its laws To seek the recovery of stolen property "ccorcion will He Humbug! Next thing i woercion for a man to crack a bur will be ooercion for a man to crack a bu glar's head as he is breaking into h house, or for police officers to protect hon est, unoffending citizens against the fury of a wild and godless mob! Gammion is a gross perversion of the term. The s no coercion in self defence, or in de

 He procured a ithe flag, one of those
often in the hards of our obildren and in
use on festive occasions, and as his dying ohild was sinking into the arms of death waved above its head the mimic standard
a yet loved and powerful though assaulte
Union. Rest assured that man can
safely trusted with his country's honor.
 mala is the puzzle of President Buchan States mission there. "What will he do with it ?" That's the question. It is a can minister commissioned there ought to travel in his comin "to cheat dealh ornats." No constitution can stand it limate; we doubt even if the Constitu-
tion of the United States, which has withtood so many shocks, could withstand the ar of Guatemala.
 people are undoubtedly in favor of the
Union, and her:Governor has taken a nole stand, yet the "Rattlesnake Clabs" the rattlegnake is the favorite reptile with
ane gecessionists) are doing all they can to get up a Convention independent ohe borders . Capital being so close oost importance that Maryland ahoild tand firm in her devotion to the Union

Disunion has not the ghost of a chance
Old Kentucky. The people of that patriotic State have but few sympathies Gulf States. A gentleman recenitly from Kentacky, through whish he travelled considerably, says a perfect delirium for ple. The stage drivers wrap the stars and tripes aroand their whip handles, while
at every cross-road the banner of: the Union is found lloating to the breeze.dragged in to seceesion:

## Presidential Elecition in Mexico

 Which ahould have taken place on Sunday first Sunday in March. This delay is inind consequence of the recent radioal change dietated by the laudable desirie to give the whole people an opportunity freely
and fally to discous the merits of the
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