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THE FLAG OF OUR UNION.

"A star for our Union!" "The watchword recall Which gave the Republic her station."

REV. JOHN CHAMBERS' SERMON ON HOW TO SAVE THE UNION.

It was announced that the Rev. John Chambers would deliver a sermon on "How to Save the Union," and his church on Broad street, Philadelphia, was accordingly crowded on Thanksgiving morning.

tion and the laws of the United States. Universal obedience to the laws was not only a duty on the part of the civil authority of each State, but on every citizen of that State.

Once more, we should remember that we are a nation of brothers. When the revolutionary struggle took place, noblood flowed more freely, more patriotically than the blood of our Southern fathers.

How to Preserve Women. A CHAPTER OF EXCELLENT ADVICE. There is nothing in the world that we think so much of as women.

Letter from Ex-President Pierce. From the Washington Constitution. We have been shown a private letter from Ex-President Pierce to a friend in this city, written, it is true, in the course of friendly correspondence, and not with a view to publication.

Washington Opening Congress. It was, I think, in the year 1793 or 1795, that as a boy I was among the spectators congregated at that corner and parts close by, to witness a great public spectacle—Washington was to open the session of Congress by going in person, as was his custom, to deliver a speech to both Houses assembled in the chamber of the House of Representatives.

Wonderful Calculation. A writer thus undertakes to convey some idea of the greatness of the population of China: "The mind cannot grasp the real import of so vast a number. Four hundred millions! What does it mean? Count it. Night and day, without rest, or food, or sleep, you continue the weary work; yet eleven days has passed before you have counted the first million, and more than as many years before the end of the tedious task can be reached."