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THE BALL IN MOTION. Within the last two weeks, the friends of

they tremble for the safety of their party. It

is, in fact, a life or death struggle with them,

and it is but a short time since that a leading

Democrat said to us, if they were beaten this

Fall the Democratic party would cease to ex-

ist. This accounts for their incessant efforts

to succeed. They are fearful that their pro-

slavery, fillibuster ship will wreck on the

shoals and quicksands that surround their track

in the political ocean, and that they will be

forced to take a trip in small craft to the head-

waters of Salt River after the October elec.

tion. Our own prospects are brightening more

and more every day, and if we but use proper

exertions, we will come out of the contest

with victory inscribed upon our banners. Go

to work, then, American Freemen. Battle for

Right, Justice, and the cause of Freedom.

"Strike for your altars and your fires ;

Strike for the green graves of your sires, For God and your native land."

CLEARFIELD, PA., Sept. 15th, 1856.

MR. JAMES M. KELLY, President of the Clear-

After due consideration I hereby withdraw

my name as one of the candidates for Associ-

ate Judge. There will still remain four can-

didates before the people for that office, viz :

Mr. Bell who was nominated by your conven-

Respectfully, &c.,

Millport, this county, in relation to the state-

ments of "A Looker-On," in the last Republi-

BENJAMIN SPACKMAN.

field Co. Union Convention.

meetings.



S. B. ROW. EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR.

CLEARFIELD, PA., SEPT. 24, 1856.

People's National Ticket. FOR PRESIDENT, JOHN C. FREMONT. OF CALIFORNIA. FOR VICE PRESIDENT. WILLIAM L. DAYTON. OF NEW JERSEY

Union State Ticket. CANAL COMMISSIONER. THOMAS E. COCHRAN, of York Co. DARWIN PHELPS, of Armstrong Co. SURVEYOR GENERAL, BARTHOLOMEW LAPORTE, of Bradford Co.

Union District Ticket. FOR CONGRESS, JAMES S. MYERS, of Venango County. JOHN BROOKS, of Elk County.

Union County Ticket. Prothonotary, THOMAS ROSS, of Pike Township. Associate Judges, ARTHUR BELL, of Bell Township. Register and Recorder. JOHN ADAMS, of Boggs Township. WILLIAM W. CATHCART, of Pike tp. Surveyor, PETER LAMM, of Girard Township. Auditor, WILLIAM HOOVER, of Bradford Township.

THE SLAVERY QUESTION.

tion, Mr. Fulton who is a volunteer candidate and Messrs. Bonsall and Moore the nominees It will not be denied that the generation of of the Buchanan party. statesmen who made the Constitution knew best what it meant. They understood it beall the circumstances, to promote that union cause it was the work of their hands; and the which we desire, and which, I believe, is within our reach. I hereby tender my thanks for policy which they adopted was certainly in the mark of confidence shown me by the Conaccordance with its spirit and provisions. In vention, and assure you of my hearty support regard to slavery their policy was very disof the Union State, District, and County ticktinct. It may be stated in two sentencesets. They deserve support and have before them the prospect of great success. First, not to interfere with slavery in the States: Secondly, to restrict its extension into the Territories. According to this policy, slavery was forbidden in all the vast territory northwest of the Ohio river, and the restriction continued till that whole Territory was formed into five free States. In accordance with the same policy, the Missouri Comprocan. The facts of the whole 'matter are exmise forbid slavery in all that portion of Territory purchased from France, which lies north of 36 deg. 30 min. north latitude. The territory thus consecrated to freedom included Kansas, Nebraska, Minnesota, and thence extending westward to the Pacific ocean, embraced also Washington Territory and Oregon. This is exactly the policy on that subject which we advocate. It is the ancient established national policy introduced by Jefferson. and affirmed or sanctioned by our most eminent statesmen, north and south, from the days of Washington down to the present generation. We wish to adhere to the policy of "no interference with slavery in the States, and no extension of the evil into territory which has been consecrated to freedom." It is this policy that Mr. Fremont supports; and it is for this reason that his nomination has obtained such general favor. Besides this broad, national policy, there are two others, which are sectional. One is that founded on the fanaticism of a small portion of very in the States. This is the avowed object the simon-pure Abolitionists, who nominated Gerritt Smith as their candidate for the Presidency. The other is the policy founded on the fanaticism of the South, which seeks to destroy all restrictions against the extension If the Union isn't safe now, then there is no of slavery into the Territory. This is the polwith James Buchanan as their candidate. Its action P' Mirabile dictu !!!!!!!!!!! proper name is the slavery-extension party. Who ever heard of such a thing before? In It was through the influence of this party that the words of Baron Dubois, "Vot a country. and the people of that fair Territory conquered perfec' !" and oppressed. In a word, it is a party whose leaders are under the complete control of Southern Disunionists and Slavery-extending fanatics, who use the party organization for the purpose of promoting the extension of the "peculiar institution." Such are the positions of parties on the slavery question.

MEETING AT KYLERTOWN.

The friends of Free Speech, a Free Press, Free Kansas, who are opposed to the elec-Free American Principles, the Constitution tion of James Bucharan, held a meeting at and the Union, and who are opposed to the Kylertown, on Thursday evening the 18th inst. dom will follow the advice and go to work in policy of the present imbecile National Ad-A large number of persons were in attendance. ministration and the election of James Buchanand it was, in every respect, one of the most an to the Presidency, have been holding a respectable meetings ever held in that region. number of spirited meetings in different sec-Isaac England was elected President ; Artetions of Clearfield county, viz :- At Glen mus Johnson and C. R. Williams, Vice Presi-Hope, New Washington, Pennville, Newburg, dents, and James Hughes, Secretary. On mo-Trout Run, Kylertown, Woodland and Lumber tion, M. A. Frank and J. B. M'Enally, Esqs., City. These meetings were all well attended, addressed the meeting. The speakers reviewand manifested a determination on the part of ed, in an able and comprehensive manner, the the freemen of this county to battle for right and justice. We are sorry that space will not great questions involved in the present conpermit us to give extended notices of all these test. They were heard with marked attention. Much enthusiasm prevailed, and the

proceedings were characterized by the bes1 Our friends in this county are in high spirfeelings, and the utmost harmony. "The work its, whilst the hopes of the Democracy are considerably below zero, so much so indeed that goes bravely on."

LARGE MEETING AT LUMBER CITY.

A meeting of the friends of Free principles, withhold your votes from either one of the awho are opposed to the election of James Buchanan, assembled at Lumber City on Saturday evening the 20th inst. Very large delegations from Pennville, Curwensville and other points were in attendance, and it was altogether the largest meeting ever held in that part of the county-not less than 500 or 600 persons being present. The meeting organized by appointing Elisha Fenton, Esq., President ; Samuel Widemire, E. Carman, Dr. S. L. Coble, Michael Shoemaker, Nicholas Mc-Cracken, Geo. Leech, Washington Rex and J. Hepburn, V. Presidents ; D. S. Moore, and M. Watts, Secretaries. After the meeting had been organized, J. B. M'Enally, Esq., Cyrus Jeffries, and Harvey Moore, successively addressed the assembled people. The great questions of the day were fully and clearly stated, the duplicity of the leaders of the Buckaneer party exposed, the Kansas question fairly presented, and the position of the different parties and candidates clearly shown .--The speakers were frequently interrupted with rounds of applause. We never witnessed more enthusiasm in any meeting; in fact everybody was astonished at the large number of people assembled. The truth is, the ball is in motion -the People are moving, and we trust will This step has been taken as the best under continue so until those who are misruling the affairs of our country are hurled from power. The meeting was kept up until a little after 10 o'clock, when Benj. Hartshorn, Esq., offered the following resolution :- Resolved, That this meeting adjourn to meet in Mass Convention at Curwensville on Saturday next at 2 o'clock. P. M. The motion carried with three hearty cheers, when all quietly dispersed. The entire proceedings were marked with harmony, good feeling and the best of order. "Looken-On."-We have received a lengthy communication from the Union Club, at New

letter from Washington, giving full particulars | E. Johnson, E. R. Hollister, F. H. Sowers and

Schuylkill Journal, a decided Fillmore paper :

with the hope that all the true friends of Free-

Friends of Fillmore, Friends of Fremont,

Old Line Whigs!

-All who desire the vote of Pennsylvania

to be cast against that arch-demagogue, and

political turn-coat, James Buchanan,-bear in

mind that the sure way of accomplishing such

a result is to turn ont to a man on the second

Vote for THOMAS E. COCHRAN, for Canal

BARTHOLOMEW LAPORTE, for Surveyor Gen-

-Let no lies or Roorbacks, which the fertil-

ity of Locofocoism can invent, induce you to

-Let nothing prevent your attendance at

the polls. Rain or shine-be on the election

ground on the Second Tuesday of October

-Form Committees of Vigilance in every

township, ward or borough, to see that every

anti-Locofoco vote is brought to the polls .--

Get out your teams, your horses and carria

support. A full turn-out cannot fail to roll up

such a majority that Locofocoism will stand

Two years ago we gave Pollock 37,000 ma-

jority-and that, too, without a single Roman

At a meeting of the citizens of the borough

Catholic vote ! We can do as well for Coch

DARWIN PHELPS, for Auditor General ;

tian Advocate and Journal. Its author the Rev. Mr. Dennis is a member of the Missouri Conference of the Methodist E. Church, and presiding Elder of a district in Kansas.]

MR. EDITOR .- Believing that many of your readers are anxious to hear how matters move with us at present, and feeling an equal anxiety to communicate any fact, that would contribute to our aid, under the peculiar circumstances that now surround us. I send . you the following. Tuesday of October next, and vote the Uxrox

Public prints have been teeming with news about the wars in Kansas, ever since last November; a portion of the time it has been truth but a part of the time there have been many exaggerated reports. But I am sorry to inform you that we now have war in good carnest on these beautiful plains. For more than two weeks everything has been in almost perfect commotion, and on every tongue, and in every circle, we can hear nothing but war ! war! war!

Ever since last May many of the "Georgia Regulators," and "Border Ruffians," have been congregating in different portions of the territory, building fortifications, fixing places of deposit for provisions, arms, and ammunition, and otherwise exhibiting indications of war, or a campaign of some sort. These things continued to the 11th inst., to a great extent, unnoticed by the opposite party. But before that time, many of our friends had suffered from the persons in these fortifications, in various ways. Horse-stealing, house burning, and marauding of every kind, and occasionally the murder of some of our citizens. Every means that could be, had been used, of a pacific character, until it was almost the unanimous declaration that "these places must be broken up." There were some, however, that still entertained doubts as to the real character and design of these depots, &c.

Accordingly on the 10th inst., Major Hoyt visited one of these dens. A prisoner that was then among them, informs us that he was kindly received, and conducted through the several apartments, and was soon missing .-The next day he was found by some of our men not far from the fort, buried in a shallow grave, in some brush. Some wagon tracks were followed from the grave to a house not distant. The man of the house was closely interrogated; for a time he plead ignorance, but finally confessed that they had killed him August 28th, 1856, a Fremont Club was organ- there, and that he had buried him.

This greatly enraged many of the settlers, and they determined to break up every one of these places they could find. On the 11th 15th, and 16th inst., three of these fortifications were stormed, and they all proved to be what they had been represented, and even One of our Washington City Exchanges says, and N. Ross, Executive Committee ; Jas. H. worse. There were two of our men killed.one that "the Newbury (S. C.) Mirror contains a Camp, Wm. Latman, Joseph Makeage, John at the first, and one at the last ; how many on the opposite side I cannot tell; I only her of two. Since that time the border counties families.

We clip the following from the Berks and [The following letter is copied from the Chris- LIEUT.GOV: ROBERTS.

AND COL. HOLLIDAY,

who has recently returned from that unformnate Territory.

have agreed POSITIVELY to address the the people of this county,

AT CURWENSVILLE, ON SEPT. 27TB. and also

IN CLEARFIELD BOROUGH, ON MON-DAY, SEPTEMBER 29TH,

at 2 o'clock and in the evening. All are invited to attend.

Thursday's Eastonian says : "The truth is, that Buchananism is getting below par, even in this section, the OldTenth Legion, of which we have heard so much from Democratic journals. The great truth of freedom is implanted in the human heart, and party organizations cannot crush it out. Within a few days past, we can number many men, in this section of the State, who have come out from party sies and declared themselves for freedom. Others will follow, and it is difficult for any one to predict the changes that will take place in favor of Republicanism before the November election. The masses are moving-the workingmen are moving-the true men and patriots of the country are moving for Fremont, the champion of Liberty. But a few weeks ago, this section of Pennsylvania had scarcely a Republican organization; now they are everywhere ; in every village, in every township, and good and true men have joined in the work. Every man feels the importance of the issues presented in the present contest between freedom and slavery. Every man can understand this issue, and there is yet enough of honor and honesty in the masses to chose the right side. Even here in old Northampton, Republicanism has a mighty foothold, and one that it will retain. Communications come to us from every section, bringing good news of the advance of our cause. Men of all parties are aroused to a sense of their situation. The farmer leaves his plough, the mechanic his shop, and the scholar his study, as they did in the days of the revolution, to strike another blow for freedom and for their country. The oppressed of Kansas are everywhere in our land. They waik abroad to speak against the so-called Democracy of to-day. They stand up in their strength against slavery, and they will not fail."

THE DEMOCRACY ACKNOWLEDGED TO BE IN FAVOR OF THE EXTENSION OF SLAVERY .- The New York Day Book, a leading Buchanan organ which the Hunker journals of this State quote from more freely than from any other paper out of the State, states the position of the Democratic party in the following explicit language :

"We hold negro 'slavery' to be right, right

ges, for the benefit of the sick or infirm, or those residing at a distance. -Let there be a union of hearts-a union of hands-and above all, a union of strength, in the October contest. -We have the strongest assurances from all parts of the State that the Old Line Whigs, the Americans, and the Republicans, will give to the Union State Ticket a cordial and unanimous

THE LOCOFOCO LEADERS.

-October is the time to strike. Men and brethren, let us do it with a will, by voting in colid column for the UNION STATE TICKET. The following did not come to hand until our last weeks paper had gone to press.

of Cherrytree and vicinity, on the evening of ized by adopting a Constitution and electing the following officers, namely : Dr. G. M. Gamble, President; Israel Conrath and Wm. Latman, Vice Presidents; Thomas James, Secretary : James H. Camp, Corresponding Secretary; Bobert Hughes, Esq., Treasurer; E. B. Camp, Wm. F. Kneedler, Robert Makeage, Benj. Pittman, Jr., Joseph Lyda, Z. Books

ran. Phelps and Laporte. We have the strength to do much better.

----OUR CANDIDATE FOR CONGRESS.

We have cheering accounts from other secof JAMES S. MYERS, Esq., our candidate for Congress. A friend of ours, writing from Brookville, says :- "Oar best political calculators set Jefferson county down at least at 300 majority for Col. Myers." The truth is, Mr. Myers' unobjectionable private and public character, his undoubted abilities and qualifications, and his sterling integrity, win him hosts of friends wherever he becomes acquainted. We trust that our friends throughout the county will use every fair and honorable means to ensure his triumphant election, of which his friends in other portions of the district feel oertain.

WILL BUCHANAN WITHDRAW?-This question may be solved before long, for the Democratic organs are beginning to discuss it gravely. The Sunbury American, which flies his name at the mast-head. refers to the ramors that the South is making ef-forts to get him to dusting in favor of Fillmore. who is to run for the Presidency on the same ticket in connection with Mr. Breckenridge, the demo cratic nominee for Vice President, and that Mr. Breekenridge had visited Mr. Buchanan for that parpose, though it puts no faith in the report.-Sun.

The Locofoco leaders are badly scared, and we shouldn't wonder if they'd kill their "Buck" "ont of season." Poor fellow ' we pity him.

plicitly stated, from which it would seem that the Republican's correspondent did not pay a punctillious regard to candor. In fact, in the communication which we received, his stateof some "lookers-on" presented in a very unenviable light. They were evidently exasperated at the truths uttered by the speaker, and at finding the meeting so large and respecta- man sitting at his writing-desk. What highble. As the communication says, "they were disappointed, and did not bring their eggs out of their pockets until the meeting was over, and then they gave the seats fits." Of a truth, by its truits can we know the tree, and if it produces putrid fruit, it is self-evident that the tree is corrupt and evil.

We find the following intensely interesting

paragraph in this week's Republican :--

"AN OMINOUS COINCIDENT .- On last Thursday the National men-the friends of Buchanan and Breckenridge, the Constitution and the Union-held a large mass meeting, and raised the North, which aims at interference with sla. a splendid pole at the Cherry Tree. At the country to the verge of ruin. same hour a similar meeting and pole raising went off at Salt Lick. These two points are some 70 miles apart, and the two meetings took place without any concert of action." Most astonishing ! most surprising ! ! most cominous (?) coincident" !!! Je-hos-a-phat ! use of talking. Two poles raised on one day, icy of the present miscalied Democratic party, 70 whole miles apart, "without any concert of the Missouri Compromise was repealed, the vot a beeples !" "An' they played on a harp Border Ruffian Invasion of Kansas legalized, of a thousan' strings, spirits of just men made

We mentioned incidentally in an article a few weeks since that Lloyd Garrison, a Disunionist, favored Buchanan's election. We received our information from one of the most respectable, influential and well-known papers in the State, and we have as yet seen nothing reliable to the contrary, though the astute editor of the Republican has undertaken to contradict it. Anything our down-town "neightions of the District in regard to the prospects | bor" may say, will not, however, in the least invalidate the correctness of the statement, at least in this community where he is known to be one of the most unscrupulous politicians, and no ways troubled with the use of candor.

ANOTHER STRING BROKEN .- That "harp of a thousand strings" played on so pertinaciously to persuade Mr. Fremont that he must be a Catholic, whether he will or not, is likely soon horns, like a lamb, or a buck, and spake as a to be broken all to bits. Among other stories dragon, and exerciseth all the power of the was one that Rev. Michael Olivetti (an Italian prelate) had positively testified to Mr. Fremont's Catholicism. Now appears a letter the freedom of speech, freedom of the press, from Mr. Olivetti himself, in which he denies and freedom of the ballot-box, and by carrythe whole story, and moreover adds : "The fact that he (Fremont) was married by a Catholic priest, if such was the case, furnishes but little evidence that he was a Catholic. Cath- Principles, Fremont, the restitution of the Misolic clergymen often marry those who are not souri Compromise that Slavery may be at that would have kindled a glow of generosity Catholics." This letter appears in the Whitehall (N. J.) Chronicle, of Aug. 28, Mr. Olivetthat he will prove marriages of Protestants to Protestants, by Catholic clergymen. Sector 2012 Sector

of a dinner party in that city in honor of the birthday of Mr. Brooks. Judge Butler, General Lane of Oregon, General Quitman, Colonel Davis, (Secretary of War.) Judge Donglas, Mr. Edmundson, Mr. Bocock, and Mr. ments are pronounced false, and the conduct Clingman, were present. Quitman presented Brooks a cane, in behalf of the citizens of Holmes County, Mississippi, and made a highly complimentary speech, eulogizing the herole achievement of attacking an unarmed minded Southerner will not blush for shame at the mere mention of the word Chivalry !' - Christian Advocate and Journal.

> This is same Preston S. Brooks, that declared he "was now, as in 1851, a co-operation disunionist," that he "thought it best to dissolve the Government under which we now live." And yet here we find him the chosen companion and friend of those who stand highest, and in fact control, the present miscalled Democratic party, and those same men applauding him for an outrage which is a disgrace to the American name. Is it any wonder that such men in power will bring the

For the "Raftsman's Journal."

WHAT ARE WE ?- Among our political opponents we are everything that is evil. They print and circulate thousands of tracts and pamphlets, that are full of falsehoods of such a dark character that they are ashamed to give the name of the author or the place where printed. What are we? In the teeth of the beast many names are given. Hear them :- Know Nothings, Abolitionists, Freesoilers, unprincipled Demagogues, dead Whigs, Black Republicans, Sectionalists, Americans, Traitors, Subverters Mr. A. B., a staunch Fremonter, was called of the National Government, Enemies to the Constitution, the Union and Religion. This is like the pot calling the kettle black. They are themselves doing everything to destroy the Constitution and the Union and the peace of the people, by shooting some, pounding others with hickory clubs in the Senate chamber, hoisting the floodgates of destruction by taking up the Missouri Compromise, subverting the Freedom of the Press, Freedom of Speech and Freedom of the Ballot-box, and destroying innocent people's lives and property, and then keep up the cry against their opponents, charging the latter with the acts of which they are themselves guilty. They lay these charges to the honest Republicans, and strive hard to get the Whigs to help them out of the mire into which they have fallen ! (Rev.13c.) "If any man have an ear, let him hear" what the evil spirit can do in raising up another beast out of the Earth, having two first beast before him, and crusheth the Earth and them that dwell therein, by taking away ing pistols, bowie knives and hickory clubs .--Now, my neighbors and friends, who are in fa- tion of houses by the American soldiery, were vor of the Constitution and the Union, Free trembling shelterless in the streets, and while peace in their own States, be careful that the in any heart not absolutely stockish, had yet beast does not persuade you to get into the scarcely died upon the ear, James Buchanan mire, or get his mark in the right hand or

Wm, Lanydon, Finance Committee. The following resolutions were unanimously adopted : 1st. Resolved, That we are in favor of civil of Missouri have been in perfect commotion. liberty in every sense in which it can be used and threats of the most savage nature have without violating the letter or spirit of our National Constitution. 2nd. Resolved, That we are in favor of lib-

erty of Speech, liberty of the Press, of Free their service, and frightened and alarmed our negroes, and not white men; and, therefore, emigration to Kansas, and Fremont for the Presidential chair.

3rd. Resolved, That every lover of his country should join heart and hand, to overthrow the 'tyrannical despotism that now rules the nation. 4th. Resolved, That Kansas should be free

and protected by Fremont. 5th. Resolved, That the despotism of Frank Pierce is not surpassed by that of the Emperor of Russia.

6th. Resolved. That we heartily endorse the nomination of Fremont and Dayton to be our standard bearers in the present campaign. Resolved, That a notice of this meeting, with a copy of the resolutions, be sent to the "Indiana Register" and "Raftsman's Journal". for publication.

For the Raftsman's Journal

GREAT MASS MEETING OF THE DEMOCRACY .-Pursuant to notice, the Union-savers of White township, Cambria county, met at the Fallen Timber school house, on the night of the 18th inst., for the purpose of discussing and comparing the platform of principles of the 10-cent Shaving Institution, and the broad platform of Freedom. Joseph Bodine, a graduate of the above school, and ex-constable of this district. an exemplary member of the Unterrified, and withal a person well calculated to enlighten his fellows, (over the left.) was to address the meeting. But, behold the end man proposes ! upon to take the chair, whereupon that gentleman declared that to fill the seat with propriety, it would be necessary to 'turn his coat.' and suiting the action to the word, he proceeded to divest himself of that outward garment and replace it with the other side out. At this moment, three deatening cheers for the Rocky Mountain candidate rang out on the night air, and, presto, the orator of the Invincibles, instead of displaying his rhetorical powers to the assembly, took to his heels, followed by the faithful at the respectful distance of forty feet, retiring, as the darkey said to the tornado, in dis-gust. REPORTER.

ANOTHER NIGGARDLY ACT .- In 1814 the American troops at Buffalo were quartered in the private residences of the citizens. The promptu but costly barracks to the ground .-tion of justice and honor. Mr. Buchanan ro-Yes, while the wives and children of these citizens, as a direct consequence of the occupathe thunders of the victory of New Orleans, sat in his seat like the cold statue he is, and

If I could stop with the above outrages, greatly would I rejoice ; but it is my painful duty to announce a most wretched, deliberate, coal-blooded muriler, that took place on the 19th inst. A gentleman by the name of Hopps, who had just arrived in the territory, and had taken no part in the troubles in any way, was taking a buggy home in which he had brought | freedom of expansion, of emigration, of develhis wite from the river to his brother-in-law's, near this place. In that unarmed, unsuspecting, and unprepared condition, he was met by a man by the name of Fuget, who had just bet that he would "take a scalp before night."-He asked Mr. H. but a question or two, and then shot him through the temple, took off his scalp, partially concealed the body, and made his escape to Leavenworth, where he exhibited the bloody scalp as evidence of his bravery. This scene was witnessed by a lady and some children. A few minutes after, some of the government teams came along, and the lady conducted the wagon-master to the bleeding body, the pulse still beating. I make no reflections; I leave your readers to their own. above, by the name of Jennison, but as I have not the tacts fully, I feel some, unwillingness dent, his only crime was going after a load of lumber, at Kansas City, and he was murdered at West Port, Mo., as he came back.

Several of our men are now prisoners, and others, as I have intimated, have been pressed into their service. And one of our preachers, Brother Stines, told me that he was quite confident that as many as two hundred horses had morning, just before daylight, having travel- priated the money." led all night, and he and nine others have gone to see the Governor, to pray for some assistance in some way; but we cannot look for much relief from that direction.

Northern men have been arriving at the rate of more than one hundred a day, for the last four days. Every man in the territory, on the British forces under Gen. Ryal, as is well side of God and righteousness, no doubt will known, entered the city and burned these im- be at his place. But of course there are not enough to meet the hosts of "ruffians" from When Congress assembled, the people who Missouri, and the numerous hordes of "Georhad thus suffered by the virtual act of the Gov- gia Regulators" from the South. Owing to ernment, applied for compensation to which the loss of horses, and the destruction of the they were clearly entitled by every considera- crops, (as the Missourians just turn their horses right into the corn-fields, whenever it suits ted against the bill granting this compensation. them,) there will be much suffering among the citizens.

To you, my dear brethren in the Lord Jesus Christ, that are more highly favored, we ap- plete, save two electors for the state at large): peal. Certainly you have an interest at a 1st District, Charles W. Newlon, of Tayler; throne of grace. We ask you to pray for us. It is not really whether this shall be a free or S. Barns, of Marion ; 4th, R. W. Caruthers, slave state, but whether we will be slaves, or not. God help us, as ministers, to live and do 6th, Absalom George, of Tyler; 7th, William ti being a resident of Whitehall. A corres- forehead, by the cry that the Constitution and voted No! against this resistless appeal to jus- right all the time. I again say, Pray for us. Lants, of Monongalia; 8th, James T. McIver, pondent of the Cincinnati Times offers a wager the Union are in danger. I admonish you to tice and humanity. We do not know that And in every way that help is needed, certainly good men will help us as far as they can. Affectionately yours, L. B. DENNIS. Laurence, Kansas, Aug. 27, 1856.

per se, right in itself, in the nature and neces sity of things ; that while there are defects or imperfections of detail, as in everything else, and in all human institutions there are perhaps been made. Companies have come into the no more evils connected with Southern societerritory, stolen horses, pressed our men into ty than that at the North ; that negroes are the peculiar domestic institution of the South is no slavery at all; but, on the contrary, the natural relation of the races, and the normal condition of society, whenever or wherever whites and negroes are in juxtaposition. And we further hold that slavery extension, so called, or the free, full and unembarrassed movement of Southern population, or its perfect opment southward and tropicward, is absolutely essential to the peace, progress and safety of American civilization, and, indeed, to the very existence of the American Republic .--And in our frequent articles on this particular phase of the mighty question now upon us, and before the people for their action, we have said that the Northern Democracy, when the question should be presented to them, would be in favor of the free expansion of Southern population, or as the dupes of imposture would term it, the extension of 'Slavery,'"

Mr. Buchanan testifying in favor of Fremont. NEW YORK, Sept. 19 .- The Evening Post of to-day will publish the affidavit of James Bu-Another man was killed a few days after the chanan, made in 1852, in the case of Gibbs vs. Fremont.

The affidavit bears the fullest testimony to to give flying reports. But one thing is evi.] the high character of Col. Fremont, both rs a man and an officer, and to the value of his services in California. It states that in his (Mr. Buchanan's) opinion, Col. Fremont was better entitled to be called "the Conqueror of California" than any other man.

With regard to drawing bills on Hallman & Co., lately referred to in the papers, Mr. Buchanan says : "I should have accepted and been stolen in and near the neighborhood where paid these bills, from my general knowledge he lived. Brother Stines reached here this of things in California, had Congress appro-

> Holloway's Pills invaluable to persons afflicted with disease of the Liver and Stomach .-The virtue of these Pills, having been tested. in all parts of the civilized world, particularly by the citizens of the Union, renders it needless to expatiate upon their merits ; the thousands who have derived benefit from them in each and every one of the States, being sufficient to convince the most incredulous. All those who are afflicted with liver and bowel complaints, indigestion, sick headaches, and dizziness, cannot make use of a remedy so certain in its results as Holloway's Pills; for termination of blood to the head, their effect is equally positive. They are also an unfailing remedy for asthma, if used in conjunction with Holloway's Ointment, which must be well rubbed into the chest night and morning.

It is stated by Virginia papers that there is a Fremont ticket regularly nominated in that state. The following is given as the list, (com-2d, Andrew S. Holden, of Harrison ; 3d, John of Monongalia; 5th, John Crabtree, of Lee; of Scot ; 9th, Isaac Parsons, of Hampshire ; 10th, James B. Kee, of Peudleton; 11th, Joseph Kelley, of Russel; 12th, Hiram Riggs, of Scot ; 18th, E. T. Brandon, of Preston:

