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 tanatacism has been fostered by a class
ounthern politicians，as a means of controllin
the southern mind and of raising themselve to power．For many gears these men have
ruled the Democratic party，and have used its their purposes．When the party nominates chanan，whom they can mould and away a they please．Thus having the organization of se party and the President they calculated，
and very correctly too，that they could con trct the Whole parly．Was to be settled it was
great．When Kassas wy to be covered by the time honored Mi
found to Thiri Compromise，which excluded slavery misc．The real purpose was to extend sla the North they pretended it was for the pur was soon found that as majority of the actur ably，in the exercise of popular sovereignty this result and to force slavery upon the peo attempted by a system of iovasion from $\mathbf{~ M}$ suy，ole laction anses elect to office the minio of slavery，whom the people did not want．A
ter they had by such lawless measures succeat． ed in making the odions pro－slavery Lecomp on the people whether they wanted it or no The Douglas wing of the Democratic part
however，opposed the recognition of the L Iy subnited to a vote of the people；but the
Breckinridge wing were willing to obey their Soutbern masters implicitly，and did alli compton swlodle．This gave rise to a divil slon in the
Breckinridg elgoty and the Terrttories of the United States that peither Congress nor the people
States have a right to keep it out．At the States have a right to keep it out．A
came time they generally avow that slave
a good thing and a Divine institution． thus，that a class of Northern Democrats be
ceme known by the name of doughaces．
Their southern masters could shape and fath Their southern masters could shape and fasi－
ton them to their purposes with as much eas as if they were zo much dough．When the
demand was made for the repeal of the His． and advocated popular sovereiguty．Whe
popular sovereignty is to be violated and the宮皆
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country．They bave succeeded in bringing
trouble mpon the country，and，it may
complished
erty，nor make the free people of the Nort their serfs and vassalg． due at Pittoburg on the 3 rd，was thrown
atrest the track thirteen miles this side of that city wen down ar embankment of fifteen feet，a passengers wero in the track．About eight hurt．Their injuries however were but slight． The mails caught fre from the upsetting of the were badly damaged or destroyed．The Wash－ togton letter maile escapest，and the New York
and Philadelpbia pouches were but and Philadelphia pouches were but slightiy
damaged．The Baltimore and Harrisburg pouches were considerably injured，and the
way maills between Pittsburg and Harrisbarg W．H．Ward，editor ot The Key of $t$ ，reached Montgomery on April 1st fro
 with 200 troops for that place，and 100 fur
Cortugas．Thene troops were from Texas，

 blame for the deception practiced，an the com－ manders of faree companies on board the Rusk The Sou
thy the 8rd April，ratifled the Coont wednen of




