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OUR COUNTRY.

There is gloom in the land - war, desolation and death! The heart sickens at the recital of the carnage, and droops in contemplation of the future.

Still other calamities! The people's rights invaded - the sacredness of the domestic violated - the trial by jury ignored...

THE CONSTITUTION.

"Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion, or prohibiting the free exercise thereof..."

ABOLITION.

"[Slavery] has always been regarded as a matter of domestic policy, left with the States themselves, and with which the Federal Government has nothing to do..."

will faithfully execute the office of President of the United States, and will to the best of my ability, preserve, protect, and defend, the Constitution of the United States."

"The principles of our Government are to support the State Governments in all their rights. The supremacy of the civil over the military authority..."

"The Constitution of the United States is a written instrument, a recorded fundamental law, it is the bond, the only bond, of the Union of these States..."

"I wish to preserve the Constitution as it is, without addition and without diminution, by one jot or tittle."

"I am committed, fully committed, committed to the full extent of my power, to the country, to its love and reverence..."

"I am committed against any and every degradation of the powers of the several departments of the government."

"I am committed against the highest infringement of the people's rights, and I am committed against any attempt to rule the free people of this country by the power and the patronage of the Government."

"I shall exert every faculty I possess in order to prevent the Constitution from being subverted, destroyed, or destroyed by a voice, perhaps, I earnestly earnestly call on the PEOPLE to vote for its rescue."

"If we are not struck by judicial blindness, we shall cling to the Constitution as the mariner clings to the mast pluck him!"

"It is well known that the subject of slavery interposed one of the greatest difficulties in the formation of the Constitution."

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general government with authority to alter the institution at its pleasure. It never can be continued for a single day if the exercise of such a power be assumed or usurped."

"I am not in the habit of speaking lightly of the possibility of dissolving this happy Union. The Senate knows that I have deprecated allusions on ordinary occasions to that direful event."

"I call upon that small portion of the party which has used itself to these wild and ruinous schemes, not to forget the holy nature of the divine mission of the founder of our religion, and to profit by his peaceful examples."

"The Abolition party is a diabolical organization. Its pretended love for freedom means nothing more or less than civil war and dissolution of the Union."

"The basis of organization is reciprocal sectional hate. To foment and heighten this, to fortify and justify it, to show that it is necessary and unavoidable..."

"I prefer such an unequal settlement to peaceful discussion and to civil war. You can preserve the Government in that mode."

"If you go to war you cannot fight all ways; and when, after much loss on both sides, and no gain on either, you cease fighting, the identical old questions as to terms of intercourse are again upon you."

"Enough of treasure and blood have been spent upon the negro question. I am fully persuaded that the unwieldy and unmanageable of this subject gives us the relation and with our millions of treasure and thousands of lives; and that there is no hope for anything else but to restore the Union as it was, and the Constitution as it is."

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"The permanent triumph of the Democratic party in 1864 is the best result I see to be possible for the country."

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MISCELLANEOUS.

THE BALLY BOX. There is a weapon sorer set. And better than the bayonet. A weapon that comes down as still as snow flakes fall upon the sod...

THE CAUSE OF OUR FAILURES. The sixth attempt to reach Richmond has failed. Governor Scott and McClellan failed in their attempt, July 1861...

REVIEW OF THE CONTRABANDS. "Arrangements are about being made whereby the large number of contraband woman and children; as also old men, who have sought refuge in this city within the past few months, will be properly cared for..."

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THE NEW ENGLAND STATES.

As many of our contemporaries are now seriously engaged in debating a reconstruction of the Union, leaving the New England States out in the cold, we have before us a book, published in Philadelphia in 1814, in which the author declares that, but for the fear of the very evils which we are now enduring, a separation from New England would be a measure not at all to be deprecated...

The Tribune's Washington correspondent, writing under date of December 25, says: "Some of the African regiments, upon the organization of which the President has determined, will be employed to guard the banks of the Mississippi after it shall have been opened by our fleets and armies."

Political Bastille. A discharged prisoner from Illinois, who was taken from that State, conveyed to Washington, and there confined in the 'Old Capitol,' without ever being informed what crime he had committed, writes to the Daily Herald, as follows:

During my confinement in the 'Old Capitol Prison,' there were, perhaps, one hundred men carried before the Judge Advocate for trial, and against not one of them was there a single charge sustained...

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