recente the scattered and hostile froggueuts. WEED SCOTT DECISION.

1 commany congretance you upon the analysis of Congress, not from the free States out of Congress out of Congress ed an a-pect so truly formidable at the ble. At present he is treated with kind- authority be given to the President to emcommunication of my administration ness and humanity. He is well fed, well ploy the naval force to protect American The right has been established of every clothed, and not overworked. His con- merchant vessels, their crews, and car Filizen to take his property of any kind, divion is incomparably better than that of goes, against violent and lawless seizure including slaves, and the common Territhe coolies which modern nations of high and confiscation, in the ports of Mexico, proved throughout the North. Stand by South have undisputed control in both for his advantage of the coolies which modern nations of five thousand dollars. to the Spanish American States civilization have employed as a substitute and the Spanish American States, when your colors—whether you win or or lose, branches of Congress. of the Line under the Eaderal Constitutional by and the self-interest of the master have revolutionary condition. Whe mere the Rederal Constitutional communed to produce this humane result. Rhowledge that such an arthority had legislature por any human power his any But let shire trade be reopened, and what been conferred, as I have already stated, The supreme judicial triounal of and the only spot now or 'earth where quire any additional appropriation for the the Government, has sanctioned and the African slave trade is openly tolerate navall services and the African slave trade is openly tolerate navall services. affirmed these principles of constitutional ed; and this in defiance of soleties tresties The cheif objection urged against the luw so manifestly just in themselves, and with a power abundantly able ar any mo- grant of this authority is, that Congress, harmony among the States. It is a strik the master, intent upon present gain, ex- stitution that it would be a transfer of by proof of the sense of justice which is torts from the slave as much labor as his the way making; or, strictly speaking, the innerent in our people, that the property physical powers are capable of enduring war-declaring power to the Executive. in slaves has never been disturbed, to my knowing that when death comes to his If this were well founded, it would, of the meet with such things every day, most caring evil. The Press and the course, be conclusive. A lvery brief example of the Territorics. relief, his place can be supplied at a price course, be conclusive. A lvery brief example of the Territorics. Even throughout the late troubles in Kan- reduced to the lowest point by the com- amination, however, will-place this obsas there has not been any attempt, as I petition of the African slave-traders. jection at rest. am greathly informed, to interfere, in a Should this ever be the case in our coun- Congress possesses the sofe and exclusingle instance, with the right of the mastry-which I do not deem possible—the sive power, under the Constitute deel restaurance, with the right of the mastry-which I do not deem possible—the to. Hal any such attempt been made, present useful chavaster of the domestic war." They alone can "raise and sup will be repressed—will simply "back speak directly through their Delegates. Beef, "Ecof Hides, " Ecof Hides, " Ecof Hides, " Let the country press, too, throughout limitation, wherein those too old or too port armies," and let this impudent minority of Let the country press, too, throughout Berries dried. an adequate remedy. Should they young to work are provided for with care a navy." But after Congress shall have fail to do this hereafter, it will then be and humanity, and those capable of labor declared war, and provided the force nectime enough to etrengefien their hands by are not overtasked, would undergo an un-essary to carry it on, the President, as further legislation. Had it been desided fortunate change. The feeling of recip Commander-in Chief of the Army and that either Congress or the Territorial rocal dependence and attachment which Navy, can alone employ this force in makthat either Congress or the Territorial rocal dependence and attachment which Navy, can alone employ this force in mass from must drive every decent, independ-people of the North will stand no such Flour, superfine, which is the contract of the North will stand no such Flour, superfine, which is the contract of the North will stand no such Flour, superfine, which is the contract of the North will stand no such Flour, superfine, which is the contract of the North will stand no such Flour, superfine, which is the contract of the North will stand no such Flour, superfine, which is the contract of the North will stand no such Flour, superfine, which is the contract of the North will stand no such Flour, superfine, which is the contract of the North will stand no such Flour, superfine, which is the contract of the North will stand no such Flour, superfine, which is the contract of the North will stand no such Flour, superfine, which is the contract of the North will stand no such Flour, superfine, which is the contract of the North will stand no such Flour, superfine, which is the contract of the North will stand no such Flour, superfine, which is the contract of the North will stand no such Flour, superfine, which is the contract of the North will stand no such Flour, superfine, which is the contract of the North will stand no such properties the contract of the North will be contracted in the North will be contracted as the contract of the North will be contracted as the contract of the North will be contracted as the contract of the North will be contracted as the contract of the North will be contracted as the contracted as the contract of the North will be contracted as the c impair the right to property in slaves, would be converted into mutual distress pain language, and history proves that it ent man to cast his vote so that these vassalage as this."

The evil would be intolerable. In the and hostility.

So far as Puch. latter event, there would be a struggle for a majority of the members of the Legis- moral nation, to consider what would be It will not be denied that the general Liture at each successive election, and the the effect upon unhappy Africa itself if "power to declare war" is without limitasacred rights of property held under the we should reopen the slave trade. This tion, and embraces within itself not only Federal Constitution would depend for would give the trade an impulse and ex- what writers on the law of nations term a rederal Constitution would depend for would give the trade an imparation of the result. The agita tension which it has never had even in public or perfect war, but also an imperation of the unconvened Charleston Conventions betray the interests of their constituents do in whole hog. It is palmiest days. The numerous victims feet war and, in short every species of the unconvened Charleston Conventions betray the interests of their constituents do in whole hog. It is palmiest days. The numerous victims feet war and, in short every species of the unconvened Charleston Conventions betray the interests of their constituents do in whole hog. It is palmiest days. The numerous victims feet war and, in short every species of the unconvened Charleston Conventions betray the interests of their constituents do in whole hog. It is palmiest days. The numerous victims feet war and, in short every species of the unconvened Charleston Conventions betray the interests of their constituents do in whole hog. It is palmiest days. The numerous victims feet war and, in short every species of the unconvened Charleston Conventions betray the interests of their constituents do in whole hog. It is palmiest days. The numerous victims feet war and, in short every species of the unconvened Charleston Conventions betray the interests of their constituents do in whole hog. It is palmiest days. The numerous victims feet war and, in short every species of the unconvened Charleston Conventions betray the interests of their constituents.

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We have not more space to devote to she deserve. But we agree with the authority of Congress the Message, giving as we do those portions the interest of the unconvened Charleston Conventions. a dangerous excitement among the peo- nium, for which this country would be President cannot fire a hostile gun in ple of the several States.

settlement until it shall become a State, against each other for the purpose of seiz power Congress could, if they thought Our brief abstract of it in last week's pabe a irrevocably fixed by the final decising slaves to supply the American man proper, authorize the President to employ ion of the Supreme Court. Fortunate has ket. All hopes of African civilization the force at his command to seize a vestion. this been for the prosperity of the Torri. would thus be ended. tories, as well as the tranquility of the On the other hand, when a market for which had been illegally and unjustly States. Now, omigrants from the North African slaves shall no longer be furnish- captured in a foreign port and restore it and flouth, the East and the West, will ed in Cuba, and thus all the world be to its owner. But can Congress only act terest by two thirds of those who will read meet in the Tarritories on a common plat- closed against this trade, we may then after the fact-after the mischief has the message. We allude to his total negform, having brought with them that spe | indulge a reasonable hope for the gradual been done? Have they no power to cies of property best adapted, in their own improvement of Africa. The chief mo confer upon the President the authority opinion, to promote their welfare. From tive of war among the tribes will cease in advance to furnish instant redress in each case, soon virtually settle itself; for slaves. The resources of that miser- Must they wait until the mischief has long as there was a hope that Slavery and before the Territory is prepared for able country might then be developed by been done, and can they apply the reme-'admission as a State into the Union, this the hand of industry and afford subjects dy only when it is too late? To confer decision, one way or the other, will have for legitimate foreign and domestic com- this authority to meet future cases under decision, one way or the other, will have for legitimate foreign and domestic comtins authority to meet future cases under
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Etate, they will then proceed, in a regumain unchanged. I therefore again in promptly on certain conditions which may the corrupt federal government which lar infinite, and in the exercise of the vite the socious attention of Congress to has already presented a number of such rights of Popular Sovereignty, to form a this important subject. Without a rec-

the Rupublic, in advance of all other na- mode of accomplishing the object will be may have been, it was apparently a move which control the entire legislation of the tions, condemned the African slave-trade. to not in concert with that Government ment of the negroes alone, without the country, are in the hands of the Slave- puting to me conduct unbecoming a gendeprive Congress of the power to prohibit gation to protect our own citizens in their been concerned in it.—Tribune, Dec. 30. persons as any of the States now existing be the less imperative. For these reasons the year one thousand eight hundred and authorizing the President, under such

the power of Congress was confined to ico for the purpose of obtaining indamnisuch States only as might think proper to ty for the past and security for the fuadmit the importation of slaves. It did ture. I purposely refrain from any sugnot extend to other States or to the trade gestion as to whether this force shall conearried on abroad. Accordingly, we find sist of regular troops or volunteers, or that so early as the 22d of March, 1794, both ... This ques ion may be most ap-Congress passed an act imposing severe propriately left to the decision of Conpenalties and punishments upon citizens gress. I would merely observe that, should and residents of the United States who volunteers be selected, such a force could should engage in this trade between for be easily raised in this country among them the use of their chamber for that Countered Clay, of Ala.

eigh nations. The provisions of this act those who sympathize with the sufferings purpose. He proceeded to his home in Post offices—Yulee, of Fla.

Territories—Green, of Mo.

cets of the master or those of the native- Mexico, and extend its powen over the born slave. Of the evils to the master, whole Republic. In that event there is the one most to be dreaded would be the no reason to doubt that the just claims of introduction of wild, heathen, and igno our citizens would be satisfied and ade ing up the time of the House with the South by a unity of action, incited by a gance and bullying spirit of the Southern the one most to be dreaded would be the no reason to doubt that the just claims of rant barbarians among the sober, orderly, quate redress obtained for the injuries agitation of the slavery question. Hon. unity of interests, have so far controlled Members. A few more such men as Mr.

I cordially congretulate you upon the and exasperate the whole mass, and pro- secured in advance by a perliminary

in hority to annul or impair this vested will be the effect? The senie, to a con-would of itself, in a great degree, pre-the. The subreme judicial tribunal of siderable extent, as on a neighboring ist went the cvil. Neither would this re-

But we are obliged, as a Christian and ere of the Constitution. Thus has the status of a Territory, dur. and man. Its petty tribes would then be enemy. ing the intermediate period from its first constantly engaged in predatory wars It will not be doubted that under this it would cover nearly our entire sheet.

dangered by violent political struggles. I need not repeat the argument which has been done. In the progress of a sages. But when the indomitable will of great nation many exigencies must arise sages. But when the indomitable will of great nation many exigencies must arise that Congress the People has succeeded in overcoming reaghed the number required to form a chase. My opinions on that measure reshould authorize the President to get the combined influences of Slavery and

All lawful means at my command have the remedy. We may in vain apply to ic. It is said that a gang of negroes at-been employed, and shall continue to be constitutional government at Vera Cruz, tacked a few white men in the public employed, to execute the laws against the although it is well disposed to do us jus- square, but that the latter were soon re-African slave trade, After a most care- tice, for a lequate redress. Whilst its enforced, and drove the negroes out into sions which we will discuss from time ful and rigorous examination of cur coasts authority is acknowledged in all the im- the woods. The negroes threatened to to time, as we get opportuny. and a thorough investigation of the sub- portant ports and throughout the sea- burn the town, but, says the dispatch, a ject; we have not been able to discover coasts of the republic, its power does not vigilant watch was kept, and all their atthat any slaves have been imported into extend to the city of Mexico and the tempts failed. Several blacks were arthe United States except the cargo by the States in its vicinity, where nearly all the rested and imprisoned, and some were Wanderer, numbering between three and recent outrages have been committed on severely punished; a Vigilance Commitfour hundred. Those engaged in this American citizens. We must ponetrate tee was formed; averybody armed him- Court of the United States, of the Nation- a gentle.man?" unlawful enterprise have been tigorously the interior before we can reach the of- self; and finally the excitement was sub prosecuted; but not with as much success fenders, and this can only be done by siding. It does not appear that any white States Senate. It not only has control other day that I wished to defeat the bill as their crimes have deserved. A num- passing through the territory in the occu- man was injured; and, indeed, the whole as their crimes have deserved. A num-passing through the territory in the occu- man was injured; and, indeed, the whole ber of them are still under prosecution. pation of the Constitutional Government. affair wears the aspect of exaggeration of their bodies, it has sectionalized them. extra session. I say this imputation is Our history proves that the Fathers of The most acceptable and least difficult and groundless alarm, But, whatever it For instance, the Senate Committees not gentlemanly." It was, notwithstanding, daemed expedi- Their consent and their aid might, I beent by the framers of the Constitution to lieve, he obtained; but if not, our oblishall think proper to admit" "prior to I recommend to Congress to pass a law conditions as they may deem expedient, eight. cuaditions as they may deem expedient, to employ a sufficient force to enter Mexwere extended and enforced by the act of of our unfortunate fellow-citizens in Mexlice, and with the unhappy condition of
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lice, and it would be different the trade, and it would be different the reference of the Constitutional Government

The proceeded to his home in t ficult to determine whether the effect forces of the Constitutional Government would be more deleterious on the inter- would enable it soon to reach the City of seat in the Senate at Washington.

been on the soil for several generations. Government have ever evidend a strong a private letter-" We shall now stand Democracy of the North Fast and West distended nerves of Keitt and his This might tend to harbarize, demoralize, desire to do us justice, and this might be

well calculated to promote peace and ment to enforce their execution. There by sonferring it would violate the Con-

held responsible in the eyes both of God any case, except to repel the attacks of an

ing slaves to supply the American mar proper, authorize the President to employ per, comprehends our views of what the sel belonging to an American citizen, natural causes, the Slavery question will, whenever there is no longer any demand should such a case afterward occur? - apply for admission into the Union. So such an authority conferred upon the Pres- cussion of Kansas affairs the subject of has been done. In the progress of a imperatively requiring that Congress the People has succeeded in overcoming

> promptings or aid of any Abolitionist. No John Brown is mentioned as having

The Potter Journal. COUDERSPORT; PA., Thursday Morning, Ian. 5, 1860.

T. S. CHASE, EDITOR AND PUBLISHER.

The distinguished statesmen, Hon. from Europe, in the Steamer Arage, a week ago last Wednesday, when his friends gave him a well-deserved reception—the gave him a well deserved reception—the the Committee stands thus Democratic Board of Aldermen giving Foreign Affairs-Mason, of Va.

and quiet slaves, whose ancestors have infloted mon then. The Constitutional J. T. Hale, our Member, writes to us in Presidents and party issues, as to put the Grow in the House would soon quiet where we are till the end. That is the unanimous decision of the whole force of from the free States out of Congress, not Report wish of his constituents here, so far as we cry turn of the Southern thumb screws have talked with them; and the course upon the Northern Democracy has deci-mated their numbers, until now, so far as of Republican members seems to be ap-

Court House, on the 12th ult., and

Resolved, That the election of William II. Seward or of anymember of the Black Republican party, to the Presi-dency of the Forted States, ought to be immediately followed by the secession of all the slaveholding States from this Confederacy, and the prevention of any organization of a Federal Administration under such a President."

er to crush all who oppose them.

We this week make copious extracts from the President's verbose and repetitious third appeal address before of it which our readers generally will take most interest in reading. The whole of President has expressed; but we beg to briefly notice the fact that what he did not express, was looked for with most inleet of the Kansas organic convention and election, under which it now proposes to would predominate in that Territory through the aid of all the power the adident by act of Congress after the deed his regular, and one or two special mes. More Errepressible Conflict at

> There are many other features of the parliamentary and gentlemanly courtesy Message—omissions as well as contrais- in a deliberative assembly, for no member

The Sectionalism of Slavery, Every person who has kept his eyes open is aware by this time that Slavery al Administracion, and of the United

man of the Committee of Foreign Affairs, and all the other important Committees English. There it stands. The gentleare officered by Slave-holders. The Cieveland Plaindealer, heretofore Office Appropriation bill, and everywhere

Power, is disgusted at the treatment of M. Reisser Pugh of Ohio, and rebels against this ac- man's failure to respond to my inquiry as tion of the Senate in the following indig- an affirmative answer. nant terms:

No Speaker has been elected yet country of Bouthern clannishness and section the thanks of the nation for his firaness of the strain of the Democrats still persisting in tak
the Democrats still persisting in taktogether in Congress and Conventions, the in resisting and thus defeating the arrow of Phenix Greek, J. L. Wilber, Agent, and the condition of the condition of the congress and Conventions, the condition of the condi

The citizens of Louisa county, Virginia, held a large meeting at their is honored with the Chairmanship of two lake him and his his party, at 3 this me Court House on the 12th ult. and Naval Affairs, while Ohio, with more voters than Florida, Alabama, Mississippi, the secret, and hence the arrest. gether, has nothing. And yet it is the South who are continually receiping against Winslow, and of Mr. Grow, Mr. Fent sectionalism.

"O that some power the gift would give us, To see ourselves as others see us.'

It is in vain to look to Congress for the correction of this most glaring and Corrected every Wednesday, by P. A. St. most during evil. The Press and the BINS, wholesale and retail Dealer in Ca. most during evil. The Press and the Union savers. Is it to be supposed that Charleston Convention is the tribunal bethe Republican sentiment—nay, any sentiment worthy to be free—in the North Presidents, Cabinets and Congressment, Seesway, 7 lb. out," and let this impudent minority of Let the country press, too, throughout Berries, dried, to quote slave holders have the control of the Gov- the Northwest and throughout the free Buckwhiest & bush, ermnent, because of these threats! Why States, be heard on this subject, and the Butter, 3 lb. it seems to us that the blustering in Congress and through the South, in this fashparty might as well disband at once. The

Corn Meal, per cwt.,

Eggs. 29 doz.

> are concerned, we say "served them Money, of For people of the North will stand no Rye, Both, such vassalage as this." They will find do Frank. a better remedy however, then sending Tront, 2 1 both. delegates to Charleston. They will re- White Fish, per. 1-bbt., pudiate at the polls all the candidates of Wool, per, Ib., that party which has encouraged the Slave-holders by sustaining all their aggressions to sectionalize the Senate Com- ACH BITTERS for Dyspepsia, Flatul mittees. If Bocock, the nominee of their Heaviness of the Stomach, or any other party for Speaker had been elected, the abroad. To be able to state confidently Committees of the House would have the "Bitters" are a certain cure for dysper been sectionalized in the same way, as of unalloyed pleasure. It removes all mo they were in the last Congress. The only matter from the stomach, purifics the blo way to put a stop to this supreme control tem, giving it that tone and energy so it of the Slave-power in the formation of pensable for the restoration of health. Senate and House Committees, is to put cellence and beneficent results, have ass

Washington.

We find the following debate among the proceedings of Congress a week ago to-day (Thursday):

mer remarks of Mr. Brauch (N. C.), de-Union with or without Slavery, as their Constitution may prescribe at the time of their path has happilly been recognised, in some form of other, by an almost unantimom corm of other, crushing out Freedom in the territories, fending his action of last session in con-

Mr. BRANCH (rising)-I want to know whether the gentleman means to impute

to me ungentlementy conduct. Mr. GROW-" I would ask the gentleman to refer to his own language."

Mr. BRANCH--" Ingain ask you whethhas complete control of the Supreme er you impute to me conduct unbecoming Mr. Grow-"The gentleman said the

> in order to induce the President to call an Mr. Branch—"Do you design im-

holders. Mason of Virginia, is Chair-his silence as an affirmative answer." Mr. GROW-What I said was in plain

English. There it stands. The gentle- Stock, which embraces everything under man impugned my action on the Post- kept by a Country Merchant one of the most pliant tools of the Slave-

Mr. BRANCH-I shall take the gentle-

Mr. Grow-You can take what you "So far as the organization of that please. The gentleman said my object Office Appropriation bills, disclaiming for SOUTH. the Republicans the responsibility of their

find in the dispatches to the daily papers This makes a pretty showing up to the ter for the present. Mr. Grow deserves

Washington, Dec. 31, 1859. ments to leave the District of Colum for the purpose of engaging in a ho

Mr. Grow had yesterday engage Maryland. The hackman did not

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