dividuals, to admit an hereditary superiority of races ? You very properly deny, that the son can, independent of his own merit, derive any right or privilege whatever, from the merit or any other social superiority of his father. Can you for a moment suppose that a very doubtful descent from men, who lived one thousand years ago, has transmitted to you a superiority over your fellow-men ? But the Anglo-saxons were interior to the Goths, from whom the Spaniards claim to be descended; and they were in no respect superior to the Franks and to the Burgundians. It is not to their Anglo-Sazon descent, but to a variety of causes, among which the subsequent mixture of Frenchified Normans, Angevions and Gascons must not be forgotten, that the English are indebted for their superior institutions. In the progress. ive improvement of mankind, much more has been due to religious and political institutions, than to races. Whenever the European nations, which, from their language, are presumed to belong to the Latin or to the Sclavonian race. shall have conquered institutions similar to those of England, there will be no trace left of above the other. At this time, the claim is but ings. a pretext-for covering and justifying unjust usurpation and unbounded ambition.

But admitting with respect to Mexico, the superiority of race, this confers no superiority of rights. Among ourselves, the most ignorant, the most inferior, either in physical or mental faculties, is recognized as having \*qual rights, and he has an equal vote with any one however superior to him in all those respects. This founded on the immutable principle that no one man is born with the right of governing another man. He may, indeed, acquire a moral influence over others, and no other is legitimate. The same principle will apply to nations. However superior the Anglo-American race may he to that of Mexico, this gives the Americans no right to infringe upon the rights of an inferior race. The people of the United States may rightfully and will, if they use the proper means, exercise a most beneficial moral influence over the Mexicans and other less enlightened nations of America. Beyond this they have no right to go.

The allegation that the subjugation of Mexico would be the means of enlightening the Mexicans, of improving their social state and of increasing their happiness, is but the shallow attempt to disguise cupidity and ambition .- because he seeks to do so, not because he Truth never was, or can be propagated by fire exerts himself to attract the love and venand sword, or by any other than purely moral eration of his fellow citizens, but he does means. By these, and by these alone, the it is spite of himself. It is the high pre-Christian religion was propagated, and enabled roghtive of a generous and noble and in less than three hundred years, to conquer idelatry. During the whole of that period, because men naturally reverence the lof-Christianity was tainted by no other blood than that of its martyrs. The duties of the people of the United States toward other nations are obvious. Never losing sight of the divine precept, " Do to others as you would be done by," they have only to consult their own conscience. For our benevolent Creator has implanted in the hearts of men the moral sense of right and wrong, and that sympathy for other men, the evidences of which are try of his well adjusted and severely simof daily occurrence. It seems unnecessary to add anything respecting that false glory which, from habit, and the general tenor of our early education, we are taught to admire. The task has already been repeatedly performed, in a far more able and impressive manner, than anything I could say on the subject. It is sufficient to say that, at this time, neither dignity or honor of the nation demand a farther sacrifice of invaluable lives, or even of money. The very reverse is the case] The true honor and dignity of the nation are inseparable from justice .- Pride and vanity alone demand the sacrifice. Though so dearly purchased, the astonishing successes of the American arms have at least put it in the of peace. Withont incurring the imputation of being actuated by any but the most ele. vated motives. I: would seem that the most proud and vain must be satiated with glory, and that the most reckless and bellicose should be sufficiently glutted with human gore. A more truly glorious termination of the war, a more splendid spectacle, an example more highly useful to mankind at large, cannot well be conceived, than that of the victorious forces of the United States voluntarily abandoning all their conquests, without requiring anything else than that which was strictly due to our citizens

GEN. TAYLOR AND THE PRESI DENCY.

The visit of Gen. Taylor to the United States (says the Savannah Republican, an able Whig paper) has been one continued triumph. His reception in New Orleans was more enthusiastic than even that of the illustrious Lafayette, for whose services during the storm of our Revolution, every man with an American heart in his bosom entertains the liveliest sentiments of gratitude. The progress of Gen. Taylor along the Mississippi was marked by anxious gaze of thronging multitudes, by almost incessant cheering and by the firing of cannon. In advance of his progress, invitations are showered upon him and in the populous cities of the North, so far removed from scenes of his victories, the notes of preparation for his cordial greeting are already heard. Such a welcome is worthy of the old hero, who comes among us to exchange the din of battle and the shouts of victory for penceful huzthe pretended superiority of one of those races zas, for congratulations and public rejoic-

> And is it not alone for brilliant deeds and noble bearing on many a well fought field that General Taylor is revered. The signal successes of a great General excite our warmest commendations and elicit our admiration and acknowledgments but it is not always they move our feelings to their depths and call up the most generous tribute of our hearts. There must be superadded to the testimonials of a brilliant career, something which belongs to the personal character of the man himself. And in this respect Gen. Taylor may be emphatically termed "the man of the poeple." His simple tastes and unostentatious deportment, the matchless unity of a well balanced. massive and consistent character, the plainness of his inanners and mode of life, his spotless integrity and almost blunt honesty make him so. There is no distance between him and the people. He is one of them and he is loved for all his simple and manly virtues. He exercises a mild and und's puted sway over the popular heart; not

simple nature like his to be reverenced ty heroism and unshakable self reliance of a modest retiring truthful and unpretending man. No! It is not on his battle fields alone that Taylor is great-He who would analyse the suorces of his enviable popularity must go beyond those memorable theatres of his renown and find other causes in the marked symmeple character. It is such qualities as those above recited that have maintained the steady lustre of Taylor's reputation not only while all eyes on this continent were directed towards him but while condemned to comparative inactivity during the magnificent career of the gallant Scott. It is these sober virtues this uncorrupted faith, and unimpeached integrity, that have recommended General Taylor to so large a portion of his Whig fellow citizens as a worthy candidate for the most responsible office of President of the United States. In all time just such men have been singled power of the United States to grant any terms out for high stations, when their services have been wanted to calm the turbulent strife of conflicting opinious and warning passions, and it is most just and natural that the people should rally around one in whose honesty and patriotism they have a confidence that knows no limit. The ovations which await Gen. Taylor during his absence from the Army prove how truly he is the man of the people and the late movement in Louisiana, Alabama, and elsewhere show how irrepressible is the popular determination to confer honors on the laurelled veteran such as his retiring modesty never dreamed of a few years ago. We welcome these exhibitions of national feeling. They are good omens for the future and furnish the lovers of

## THIRTIETH CONGRESS. FIRST SESSION.

Correspondence of the Baltimore American. WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.

Mr. Clayton's Speech drew a crowd to the Senate to-day, and commanded very marked attention among the Senators and all present. General Scott was vindicated from the recommendation of the force now sought to be raised, and an anecdote was told of him as follows:

Scott went to Mexico, he remembered to each of the claims of our citizens against have asked him if he was not apprehen- Mexico, with an amendment providing printed. sive of defeat in the mountain passes of that extraordinary country ? He smiled, be held responsible for these claims. and said that with 5000 American regulars he could whip any army which Mex- judiciary, reported back the bill changing ico could raise, though it rained Mexicans the times and places of holding the Disfor a week.

Mr. Clayton said he could not exactly with several amendments. understand what the President meant by "indemnity for the past and security for the future," but an engenious friend had told him that indemnity for the past meant one-half of Mexico, and security for the Wisconson, was read a third time and future the other half." [Immense laughter.

Mr. C. wished gentlemen upon the oth- of Mr. Dickinson, relative to annexation er side to answer whether war by conquest, or rapine, was a legitimate power of this Government. He denied it .- There in a written speech of some length, conwas no such power, express or implied. tending that we ought to annex the whole To establish justice was the object of the of the Mexican territory now in our posestablishment of this Government, and session, and leave the question of slavery not conquest. Our Government was organized for pacific and not warlike pur- inhabit the acquired territory. The peoposes. But we were pursuing a course ple demanded more territory, and even which would compel us to lay hold of the had the war with Mexico never taken whole of Mexico, and these Bills were place, it would have been impossible to elements of this great design.

It is claimed here (in Resolutions de- tion of Mexico. livered yesterday by Mr. Hannegan) that the annexation of all Mexico as a Pro- liberality of the Senator from New York, vince is constitutional. We were indeed on one point embraced in his resolutions, about to send to Mexico an armed emi- but he did not go quite far enough to meet gration. There were in Mexico 8,000,000 his southern views. He intended, there of people, most of them colored men. fore, at the proper time, to submit an a-There were as many Abolitionists in the mendment declaring that the federal govcountry, and a fact like this ought to a- ernment has no delegated authority, nor larm this country.

## UNITED STATES SENATE.

Mr. Hale presented a memorial of upwards of 2900 Ministers and Laymen of the Unitarian denomination, praying the adoption of pacific measures for terminating the war with Mexico, and the reparation of all wrongs that may have been done by the United States to that Republic; which was referred to the committee on foreign relations.

Mr. Sevier, from the committee on foreign relations, reported back the joint resolution for the appointment of a board to Mr. Clayton said that before General ascertain and determine the amount of that in no event shall the United States Mr. Ashley, from the committee on the

trict Courts of the U. States in Virginia.

Several private bills were reported, and adverse reports made in some cases. The bill for the relief of W. B. Slaughter, late Secretary of the Territory of

passed. The Senate then took up the resolutions

of territory.

Mr. Dickinson supported his resolutions to be determined by the people who may have prevented the annexation of a por-

Mr. Yulee was much pleased with the the territorial community any inherent

the floor, addressed the committee at length. and against the postulate in the Message that the beginning of the war was the shedding of American blood upon American soil. Mr. Jamison, of Missouri, next obtained the floor, but gave way for a motion that the committee rise, which was carried, and then, On motion, the House adjourned.

Correspondence of the Times and Compiler. WASHINGTON, Thursday, Jan. 18, P. M. U. S. SENATE.

After calling the Senate to order to day, the GENERAL Vice President laid before it a report from the Secretary of War in relation to Army Contracts for the past year-which was ordered to be

The resolution offered some time since by Mr. Benton, to have printed five thousand cop. ies of a history of Colonel Doniphan's Expedition. was taken up and adopted.

Mr. Mangum offered a resolution requesting the President to communicate all estimates and plans of General Scott, for the prosecution of the Mexican War.

Mr. Johnson, of Louisiana, offered a resolution calling upon the Postmaster General for information in regard to the loss which the revenue of his Department has sustained, arising from private expresses between New Orleans and Montgomery.

The resolution submitted by Mr. Dayton on Tuesday last, calling upon the President for copies of letters from General Scott and Taylor rel ative to levying forced contributions upon Mex. ico, was taken up and passed.

This resolution, also submitted on Tuesday, Mr. Baldwin, calling upon the President for copies of the correspondence between Mr. Trist and the Mexican commissioners during the armistice, was adopted.

On motion, the Senate laid aside the morning business and proceeded to the consideration of the order of the day, The Ten Regiment Bill

Mr. Pearce, of Maryland, opposed the bill in some pertinent remarks. He regretted that he had to differ so widely from his colleague, Mr. Reverdy Johnson. He controverted most of Mr. J.'s positions, and deniedthat the boundary of Texas extended to the Rio Grande Mr. P. cited the authority of Messrs Benton, Ashley, Ingersoll and others, in support of his denial, and gave a detailed statement of the facts in the case.

After Mr. Pearce concluded, Mr. Buttler obained the floor ; but he gave way for a motion



THURSDAY EVENIN

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Sth day of February pe to appoint Delegates to Raleigh, and to del to the party.

THE Citizens of this C Salisbury, on Thursday upon the subject of appl a Charter to extend the some point on the Virgin citizens is requested, as a are expected to address the

CP The Standay quite a flurry about Representative, Mr lowing resolution i stant, by Mr. Hups

" Resolved, That Affairs be directed to ency of requesting the States to withdraw to Grande our armies nov pose to the Mexican treaty of peace on the That we relinquish all the expenses of the wa between the United S established at or near Nucces and the Rio G

[To be concluded next week.]

#### TEXAS.

Dates to the 25th ult. have been received constitutional liberty rightly understood from Galveston at New Orleans.

The Census returns show, exclusive of five groes 229.

The Legislature is in session. Mr. Lamar ing as the time rolls on which separates has introduced a joint resolution protesting against the relinquishment to Mexico of the country south and west of the Rio Grande conquered by and in possession of the United States. Also another resolution respecting the incorporation of a portion of the conquered provinces or States of the Republic of Mexico into the State of Texas, with the consent of the United Fremont trial on Friday.

and rightly practiced with cheering hope for that eventful future towards which our small counties, a total population of 135,775. Republic is tending with such rapid flight. The number of slaves is 33,729, and of free ne- May these demonstrations continue in all their present sincerity and go on increas-

us from the election of another president.

## FLARE UP IN WASHINGTON.

We learn, says the Richmond Republican, that quite a scene took place at the

States, and respecting a cession of a portion of Gen. Kearney called attention to the

Admit of all Mexico, and you could right, to exercise any legislative power and would send this Union to atoms. He within the territory belonging to, or which besought men to pause where he had paused, and to keep that territory from this which the equal right of all the citizens Union. He intended to vote for supplies, clothing, munitions, &c., but no more troops were necessary.

The financial question was then considered, and it was argued that an enormous expenditure would be necessary, much beyond any amount which would be raised to do what Mr. Johnson proposed. It was said it would be the utter annihilation of Mexico. You prevented them from having a power to negotiate a peace. The Government was now col- bill was resumed. onizing Mexico by the bayonet.

The idea of colonizing Mexico as a Province was regarded as impracticable and abused. This was borrowing the example of the Despotism of Europe. If we meant annexation and to seize the whole of Mexico let us say so.

Mr. Clayton closed with some strong comparisons between modern Democracy and the Democracy of Jefferson, when commissioners were sent to France to negotiate for obtaining territory, whereas the Executive would now lay violent hands upon territory without negotiation of any sort.

A large number of anti war memorials were presented to the Senate during the day, from Indiana, Ohio, and different parts of New England, one of these was thirty six yards long, and signed by the principal clergymen and laymen of the Unitarian denomination.

Mr. Yulee, you will observe, has presented a series of resolutions, as a substitute to those offered by Mr. Dickinson. The design appears to be to proclaim the right of the South to hold all conquered territory in common with the free States, and if need be, to extend the institution of slavery over such conquered territory.

This subject, the most exciting which can come bofore Congress, will enter largely into the debates, and as they involve the subject of additional territory they cause a feverish excitement, even here, to know what Congress will do.

Mr. Butler, of S. C. will tomorrow move the recommitment of the Ten Regiment Bill, with a vew of providing for keeping the old regiments full rather than allow- pers. He corrected the error. ing the organization of ten additional Regiments.

Mr. Pearce, of Maryland, will speak to morrow, and there is much anxiety to hear him on the War question.

The House by a very decided vote in-

may be acquired by, the United States, by of the United States to acquire and enjoy any part of the common property, may be

impaired or embarrassed. Mr. Hale gave notice that he would, at the proper time, move to amend the resolutions by striking out all after the word Resolved' and inserting the Wilmot Proviso.

The Resolutions were then laid on the table. The Senate then proceeded to the special order, and the consideration of the Ten Regiment

Mr. Clayton resumed his remarks in opposition to the bill. He contended that there was no necessity for the increase of the force asked for, that now in the service being sufficient even to conquer all Mexico. He was willing to vote supplies to our army now there, but not to create new regiments.

Much had been said about 'indemnity and security,' and now it appears that 'indemnity for the past' meant one-half of Mexico, and security for the future' meant the other half ! Towards the conclusion of his speech. Mr. Clayton referred in strong terms to the admission of Santa Anna into Mexico by order of the President.

Mr. Butler gave notice that he would, on tomorrow, move to recommit the bill, with a view to offer an amendment to increase the number of privates and subaltern officers in the exist. ing regiments, instead of creating new ones. Mr. Pierce has the floor for to-morrow. After an Executive session the Senate adjourned.

#### HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

The Chair announced that the resolution reported yesterday from the Committee on Claims respecting a list of all claims presented to Congress since the Fourteenth Congress, was first in order.

Mr. Robinson, of Indiana, rose and offered a resolution to stop the debate on the President's Message at 2 o'clock this day.

Mr. Stephens, of Georgia, moved to lay said resolution on the table. On this motion the yeas and nays were demanded and stood, yeas 99, nays 74. So the resolution was laid on the table.

Mr. Andrew Stewart rose to make a personal explanation. One point in his speech yes. terday was misreported in one of the newspa-

The resolution from the committee on Claims was then taken up.

Mr. Rockwell, of Massachusetts, stated that the information called for had been mostly compiled by Mr. Simon Brown, a former Assistant Clerk in this House, and a competent person. A debate arose upon the best, readiest

to adjourn ; and, on motion.

The Senate adjourned over to Monday next.

# HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Mr. Evans, soon after the organization this morning, rose to a privileged question. He moved to reconsider the vote of yesterday laying upon the table a resolution of enquiry relative to the rank of Sergeons in the Navy, reported by Mr. Schenck from the Naval Committee. The question was thereupon propound ed to the House, and the motion to reconsider was adopted-yeas 94, nays 66.

Mr. Schenck exclaimed the character of the resolution, with clearness-regretting that, coming from a committee, the House should have treated it so cavilierly.

The resolution was then adopted, by yeas 83, nays 79.

The reply of the President to Mr. Goggin's resolution respecting the return of Santa Anna to Mexico, was then taken up and read. The President refuses to communicate the instructions called for, because incompatible with the public interest-cites the example of Washington for precedent-says that its communication might prevent negotiation for peace being consummated, &c.

Mr. Truman Smith moved that the message be referred to the committee on Foreign Rela-

Mr. John Q. Adams spoke on the subject with energy. The members crowded about him in breathless attention. He moved to refer the whole matter to a Select Committee -which committee would show Mr. Polk that he is bound to furnish the information desired. Mr. Isaac Holmes followed in a speech laud. true policy) to acquir atory of Mr. Polk for his firmness in refusing to communicate the information, and for his taking the example of Washington for his guide. Mr. Schenck replied vehemently to Mr. have,-and spread t Holmes. He thought it high time that the free institutions will Representatives of the People should maintain their rights, and take a stand against the President's being the master.

Mr. Toombs followed. He regarded the matter as a question, not whether the President may not, in, certain cases, withhold information asked for by the House, but whether this was one of those cases.

Mr. Chas. J. Ingersoll next obtained the ple in other Countrie floor. He justified the course the President had thought proper to pursue, and cited authority to sustain the President. He moved to refer the subject to the committee of the whole House, and made it the order of the day for

Tuesday next. Mr. Collamer replied to Mr. Ingersoll. He regarded the President as bound, in this case, to give Congress the information asked for. Mr. Tompkins next obtained the floor, but gave way for a motion to adjourn, which was adopted.

And the House adjourned.

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as a Quaker once abused him, " thy to So we say to the Stan extolled HENRY CLAY as bitterly reviles and whenever an opportu And so far as refere paper in the article swer, we see nothing vote, as we believe est in the conviction to give it; much more of the Standard in J for giving this vote. If the War is unju

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prove it otherwise.)

-Read 1st time.

Gov. Wood has been installed into office with the usual ceremonies. The official vote was as follows ; Wood, 7,154 ; Miller, 5.106 ; Darnell, 1,437; Robinson, 480. For Lieut. Gov. Greer received 4.999 votes; Jarraut, 2,979 ; Waller, 2.979 ; Haynie, 471.

A Democratic meeting was held at San Augustine which recommended the holding of a State Convention at Austin, on the forth Monday in this month, for the purpose of electing delegates to a National Convention. A resolution declaring "that the Democratic party are willing to stand upon the Missouri compromise, and leave the slavery question with the people occupying any territory we may acquire," was passed. A public meeting to res- his presence, however.) pond to the doctrines recently advanced by Mr. Clay, at Lexington, was announced to be held at Huntsville on Christmas day, and General Houston was to address it.

The Washington correspondent of the Philadelphia Bulletin says, that "Mr. Benton is understood to be opposed to the further prosecution of the war-talks about expense, its

every Whig member of the Legislature of Maryland has indicated a preference for Gen. Tay. for for the highest office in the gift of the peo-

fact, that during his examination as a wit-

ness, Col. Benton sat opposite to him, frowning and making grimaces, evidently with a view to intimidate and confuse him. He called the attention of the Court to the circumstance, not with a view to ask any protection for himself, but that the tribunal might preserve the decorum due to its own dignity.

Col. Benton, in reply, admitted that he had so frowned upon the witness, who had quailed under his glance; and after the rising of the court, whose decision we did not hear denounced Kearney in the Court Yard as a perjured witness, (not in

It is supposed the General will "call out" the Senator, and give him an opportunity of looking as ferocious as he pleases during the interchange of bullets.

MEXICO-An Insurrection Prevented.-We have seen a letter, says the Philadelphia Inquirer, of late date from an officer terrible consequences, and refers to Napoleon's of the army, which states that an insurwars and the wars of the Roman Empire." &c. rection was about to break out in the ci-

immediately been adopted.

dicated an intention this morning to de-

bate at greater length the President's claims desired, in which several members took Message in Committee of the Whole on part.

the state of the Union. There are a great Mr. Evans, of Maryland, moved to recommany speeches to be made upon Internal Improvements, the Tariff, Currency, and most of all, upon the War.

on Congress, and giving the names of rejected Claimants, was further considered and sent back to the Committee on claims with instruction to make inquiries.

Much miscellaneous business was transacted during the day, and a very able speech made by Mr. Lincoln, a new member from Illinois, in vindication of his vote that the war had been unconstitutionally and unnecessarily brought on by the President.

Among the Reports presented was an a history of our own three grades, viz : Minisimportant one by Mr. Hilliard, looking to sters Plenipotentiary and Extraordinary; Mina revision of the Consular System ; the isters Residents ; and Charge des Affairs ; appointment of a full mission to Rome : and it proposes an alternation in the grades, so the making of Ministers Resident to take the place of Ministers of the second grade and allowing of Ambassadors in extraordinary cases.

The Supreme Court. after a suspension ty of Mexico, and that it had been discov- of two or three weeks have commenced The Washington Evening News states, that cred by Gen. Scott just in time to prevent the consideration of the Van Ness case, great excitement, and a more rigorous two years since. The case is argued by policy of vigilance and precaution had Messrs Brent and May upon one side, and by Messrs. Bradley upon the other.

and cheapest method in getting the list of

mit the resolution to the committee on Claims with instructions to report the most feasible method of obtaining the information desired, The question of classifying claims up- which motion was agreed to.

The Chair now called on the committees for reports. Many bills of a private nature were reported, read twice, and referred to the committee of the whole.

Mr. Hilliard, from the committee on Foreign Relations, reported a bill remoddeling our diplo- be brought before a Court Martial. These matic system. The report presents a history of the diplomatic systems of the eivilized world down to the sitting of the Congress at Vienna, where three grades were established, to wit : Ambassadors; Ministers plenipotentiary and Extraordinary, and Ministers resident. It gives

as to send occasionally, Ambassadors to Gov. cause, and we see mention of meetings in eve. tution, can approve t ernments where the spirit of Republicanism is ry quarter of the Old Dominion. Virginia is bursting into existence. It recommends a mission to Rome of one of the higher grades, and ating properly one of the most distinguished of presents the reasons thereof. The bill was her many illustrious sons. read and referred in the usual method.

After the morning business was disposed of, serious results. The affair had created which was before the Circuit Court some Whole, (Mr. Joseph R. Ingersoll in the chair,) and took up the President's message for reference to the several Standing Committees.

Mr. Lincoln, of Illinois, who was entitled to ter of the present fiscal year, were \$18,5000,000. ton, among others, had

tawba and Wilkes, SCOTT AND HIS GENERALS. for this miserably con who are its advocate The Washington correspondent of the

sponse will be " well Baltimore Sun gives the following statements, in the truth of which he says the ful servant." We most implicit reliance may be placed: not a man in the I '1st. That all the differences between charge his duty more Gens. Scott and Worth will be submitted tious than Mr. Boypes to a Court of Inquiry, to be held in Mexico. Both officers will be relieved from command and duty for this purpose. expressly gives the w 2d. Gen. Pillow and Col. Duncan will Congress: We candi did Congress declare

are facts. the President begin 'It may be that Gen. Taylor will be put over Mexico, as Cammander-in-Chief of the Army, and having civil powers confided to his judgment.'

### COMING OUT!

The Taylor Ball is now under full head-way in Virginia. People are moving in the good determined not to be behind hand in apprecia-

GOVERNMENT EXPENDITURES. An official statement by the register of the

United States Treasury, shows that the expen-

ditures of the Government for the first quar-

Mr. Clays's room in ' generally crowded with

sident's and not of th who fulfils his oath to True, the last Con war of aggression,

does not and cannot which will forever Polk.