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THE KANSAS REBELLION MANUFACTURED TOGETHER.

It is a mistake, and a sorry mistake, to suppose that the recent difficulties in and about Lawrence were occasioned by any considerable number of *bona fide* Kansas settlers from the free States. We have expressed, says the Detroit Free Press, the confident opinion that the collision at Lawrence was predetermined by the northern Abolition Presidential operators—that the resistance to the execution of legislative process was rearranged for the sole and express purpose of procuring the very result over which so much excitement is sought to be raised. The plan was so comprehensive as to embrace the manner and the means of spreading the exaggerated accounts of the affair brought to us by telegraph. If proof, other than that which the whole transaction wears upon its face, were wanting to convince even the skeptical that we did not express a mistaken opinion, it is to be found in the subjoined intercepted letter, addressed to Gov. Robinson by one of the Lawrence rebels. It bears date, "Lawrence, May 13, 3 p. m.," and was sent after Robinson, who had left for the East:

"*Governor Robinson:* The bearer of this is one of us. We have, since you left, in addition to the forces, nine hundred and eighty men—I join us, all well armed, and well [illegible] the border ruffians hell, whenever and wherever we find them. But be sure and send us more of rifles, powder, and ball. We must have two more pieces of cannon to plant on the southeast corner of the fort. In the morning we intend to send our women and children to different parts of the Territory. Before this reaches you, you will hear of a slaughter among the proslavery men and ruffians in case he cannot see you immediately.

"We want more men, if you can prevail on them in Ohio, Massachusetts and New York to come immediately. Call on Greeley, Seward, Banks, Campbell, Beecher, etc. Do not editorialize Fillmore's friends; if you do, we may be betrayed before the election comes off. See Beecher yourself, and have the prayers of all the churches in behalf of liberty, freedom and the entire annihilation of the rebels of the Southern States.—While writing, news has just come of one hundred and fifty more men, armed, making in all two thousand seven hundred and sixty. Armed and well drilled men, well organized and brave officers. Reserve is still with us. They think he has left the place. Write as soon as you make the right impression on the eastern people. I think we can hold out three or four months with provisions, &c., except powder and balls. By order of the Committee.

"Be sure and take care of this. Don't let the men in Lexington get it."

The address upon the letter was "Gov. Robinson, Independence, or Lexington or Jefferson City." Is it not a precious document? Does it not throw a flood of light upon the "free State" operations in Kansas? It carries the evidence of its genuineness.

The Difficulty between Spain and Mexico.—The difficulty between Spain and Mexico seems to be a serious one. The unredressed claims of Spanish losses incurred by Spanish subjects among the struggle of Mexico for independence to assume a home. Mexico has called for commission of the claims, urging that some of them are fraudulent. Spain refused the demand, and Mexico in her turn refused to endorse it by compelling the commissioners to deposit their titles with another commissary for the amounts already paid to claimants, threatening to confiscate the property of the Spanish lands should they come to Mexico, and actually carrying out the threats in several cases. This is resented by Spain, and a squadron has been dispatched to Vera Cruz to back up her complaints. The task to be executed by the squadron, embracing nine of her vessels, comprising in all one hundred and sixty guns, is variously stated. By some a bombardment of Vera Cruz is predicted, whilst others assert a blockade only will be attempted. A new Spanish Minister accompanies the squadron, which left Havana on the 23d ultimo.

The Meeting in New York.—The New York Day Book gives the following comments upon the late meeting in New York:

"In regard to the meeting last night, we would simply say to our out of town readers that Mr. Daniel Lord was the only speaker there who is not an active work and operator in the 'nigger worshipping' crew. They were all what is called 'old stagers,' men who have been engaged for the last twenty five years in every new ism that has offered chance of political success and preferment. Not a single old conservative 'Union loving' man was there.—It was literally a 'locking men in' meeting, and made up of that class who have for years old years blustered and threatened and swore vengeance on the South and the 'Slave Power,' but never 'did anything' and never will. As for the fighting, they are the fathers, sons and brothers of 'run away' from Lawrence.

"They say, 'Oh, you'll see—the South go on a little longer, and you'll see the North won't fight,' at the same time not one soul of them has any more idea of fighting than he has of going to hunt white bears in the polar regions. There are men in the North that will fight—plenty of them—thousands and thousands who are eager for the fray, and would arm and enlist to day to fight Great Britain, or the Costa Ricans, or the Spaniards, or any other nation or people in the cause of white freedom, or in behalf of the equal and just rights of white men; but not one soul of these would fight the South or for nigger freedom.

The citizens of Nashville, Tennessee, lately held a meeting to endorse the march of Gen. Walker and Nicaragua. One of their resolutions declares:

"Born, reared and educated in our midst, he (Walker) has ever maintained the character of an honest and honorable man. A graduate of the University of Nashville, and for several years a student at Paris, where he devoted himself to the acquisition of knowledge, his intellectual endowments, his literary attainments, varied knowledge, his nice sense of honor, his distinguished gallantry and his republican principles, eminently qualify him for the task of regenerating a people cursed with all the evils of a bad government, and could bring upon them the blessings of freedom and security under the operations of wise and beneficent laws. He left his home and native land without a spot or blemish upon his character, and we, who know him well, feel sure that whatever may be his future career he will do nothing to tarnish his bright fame."

Scrap of History.—During the revolutionary war, General Lafayettee, being in Baltimore, was invited to a ball. He went as requested, but instead of joining the amusement, as might be expected of a young Frenchman of twenty-two he addressed the ladies thus:—"Ladies, you are very handsome; you dance very prettily; your ball is very fine—but my soldiers have no shirts."—The appeal was irresistible. The ball ceased, the ladies went home and went to work, and the next day a large number of shirts were prepared by the fairest hands of Baltimore for the gallant defenders of their country.

AMERICANISM THE ALLY OF SLAVERY.

The Southern anti-American press and orators, in spite of the strongest proof to the contrary, persist in charging that the American party is freesoil in its proclivities. The Chicago *Democrat* thinks differently. It says:

"We have never been able to comprehend how any true opponent of slave extension could be a Know Nothing, and especially since the nomination of Fillmore and Donelson and the 12th section in their platform.

As between Fillmore and Donelson and the Douglas ticket, every consistent Democratic Anti-Nebraska man would have to prefer the latter. It appears that Donelson wanted to make a slave State of California."

That will do pretty well. Mr Fillmore is a better man for the South than Douglas, and Douglas a better man for the North. The *Democrat* takes the view of the old Democratic *Recorder*, that there are elements at work in that party, that will strike the fetters from the limbs of the slave and inaugurate in our country the blood all of the different races of the earth. Here is what the *Democrat* thinks of true democracy, as understood in the West:

"There is nothing like true democracy, the democracy of Jefferson, Madison and Jackson, that opposed sumptuary laws, all persecution of men for their birth place or religion, and advocated the abolition of the scourge of the age, human slavery."

"NAP HEZ GOIN' UNDER THE HILL."

[illegible] the "Hill" [illegible] in the New York Times [illegible] the portrait of Old Commodore Vanderbilt and [illegible] "Nap Hez goin' under the Hill."

"When I first saw Nap he was [illegible] I should suppose that Lord, or Duke, or Prince, New York, could have found no peasant in whom there existed a trait so exquisitely [illegible] Every look, every [illegible] was stamped with [illegible] [illegible] Nap was a [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]