

A historical map of the United States, likely from the mid-19th century, showing territorial acquisitions and military stations. The map is divided into sections by color: orange for territories, green for states, and blue for water. A red line runs across the top, and another red line runs along the coast. The title "Before the Storm" is in large white letters, and "Events Leading to Civil War" is in yellow script below it. The map includes labels for "BRITISH POSSESSIONS", "NEW YORK", "NEW JERSEY", "PENNSYLVANIA", "DELAWARE", "MARYLAND", "DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA", "VIRGINIA", "CAROLINA", "FLORIDA", "ALABAMA", "LOUISIANA", "MISSISSIPPI", "ARKANSAS", "TEXAS", "OKLAHOMA", "KANSAS", "NEBRASKA", "MINNESOTA", "IOWA", "ILLINOIS", "INDIANA", "OHIO", "MICHIGAN", "WISCONSIN", "IOWA", "NEBRASKA", "KANSAS", "OKLAHOMA", "TEXAS", "LOUISIANA", "MISSISSIPPI", "ALABAMA", "FLORIDA", "CAROLINA", "VIRGINIA", "DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA", "MARYLAND", "DELAWARE", "PENNSYLVANIA", "NEW JERSEY", "NEW YORK".

# Before the Storm

## *Events Leading to Civil War*

**COLTON'S**  
**UNITED STATES**  
SHOWING THE  
MILITARY STATIONS  
FORTS &c  
PUBLISHED BY J. H. COLTON, 250 N. 7TH ST. N. Y.  
1861.



# North

- *Large diverse population*
- *Free Labor*
- *More Urban*
- *Industrial*
- *Extensive Infrastructure*
- *Pro Fed. Gov.*

# South

- *Little diverse population*
- *Slave Labor*
- *More Rural*
- *Agrarian*
- *Limited Infrastructure*
- *States Rights*



# ABOLITIONISM

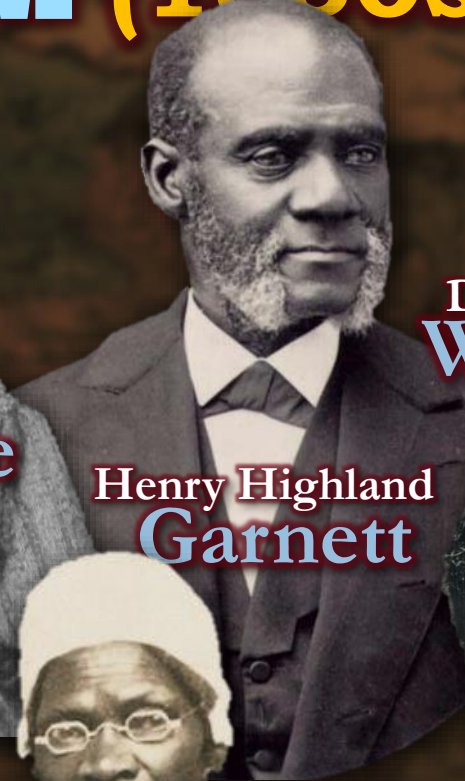
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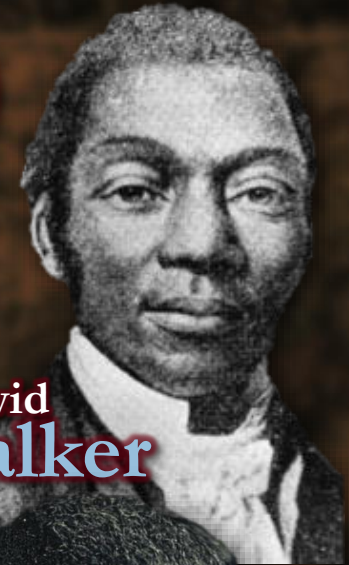
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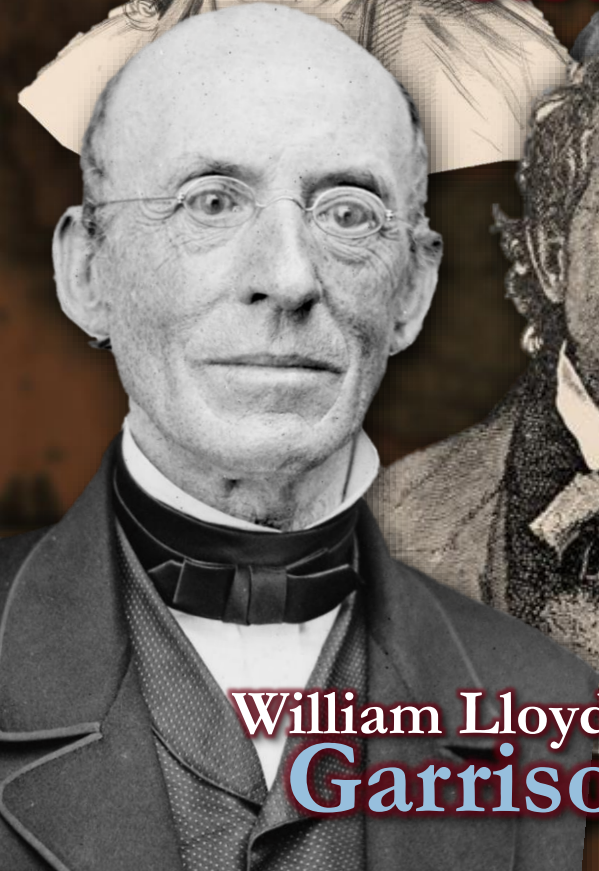
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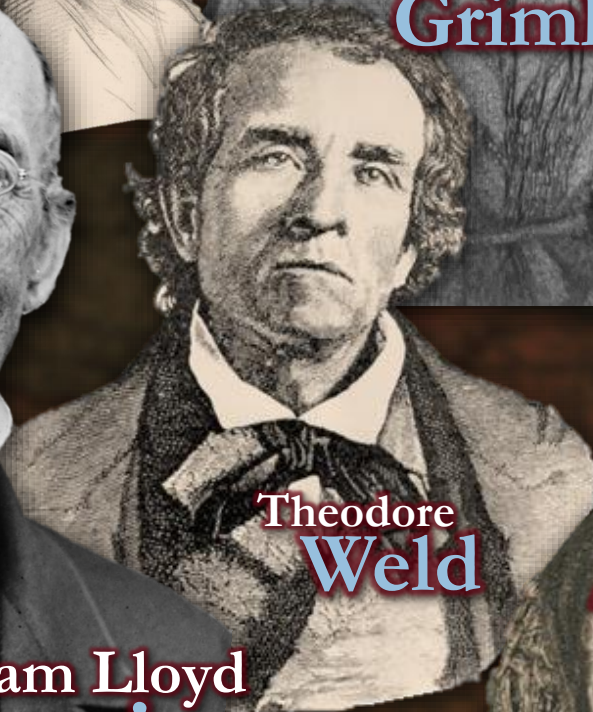
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David  
**Walker**



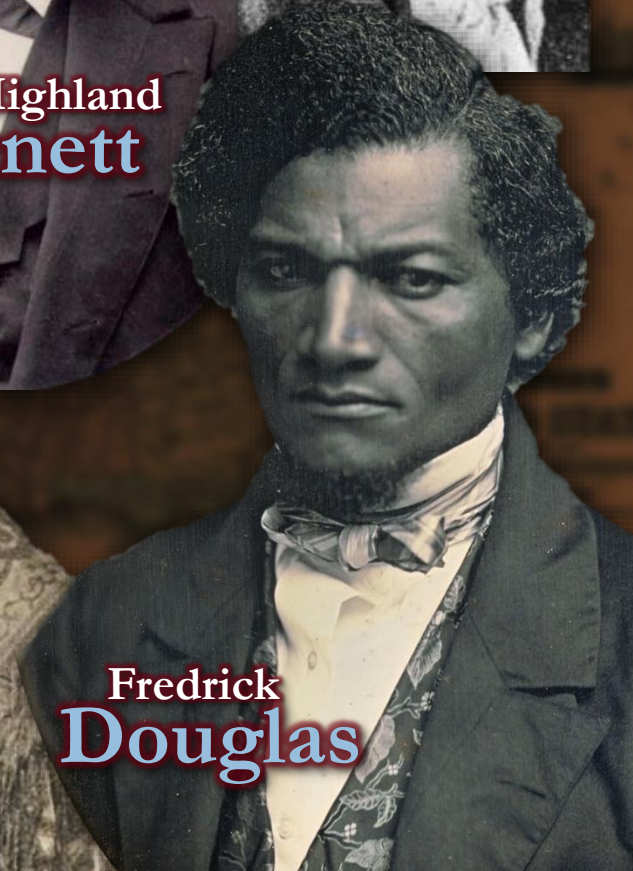
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Theodore  
**Weld**



Sojourner  
**Truth**



Frederick  
**Douglass**





# Mexican-American **WAR**

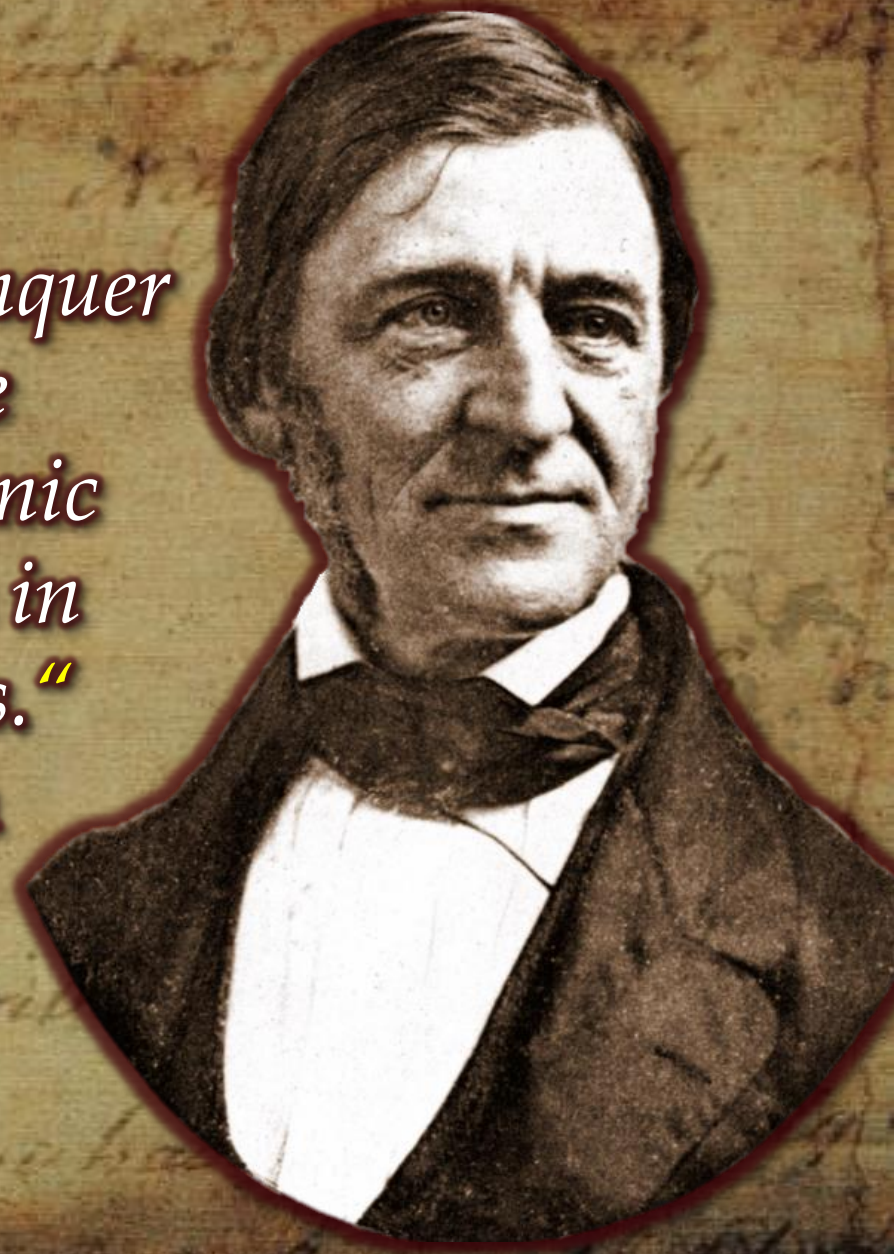
1846-  
1848



*"The United States will conquer Mexico, but it will be as the man who swallows the arsenic which will bring him down in turn. Mexico will poison us."*

— **Ralph Waldo Emerson**

Essayist, Poet, & Philosopher







The map is a historical representation of the United States, showing state boundaries and major geographical features. California and Texas are highlighted in a light blue color. The map includes labels for various states such as Oregon, California, Texas, New Mexico, Arizona, Nevada, Idaho, Utah, Colorado, Kansas, Nebraska, Oklahoma, Missouri, Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Alabama, Georgia, Florida, South Carolina, North Carolina, Virginia, West Virginia, Maryland, Delaware, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, New York, Connecticut, Massachusetts, Vermont, New Hampshire, and Maine. It also shows the Gulf of Mexico, the Atlantic Ocean, and the Pacific Ocean. The map is titled 'What Will Be The FUTURE Of Western Lands? Slave or Free?' in large, bold, white and yellow letters.

# What Will Be The FUTURE Of Western Lands? Slave or Free?

## EXPLANATION.

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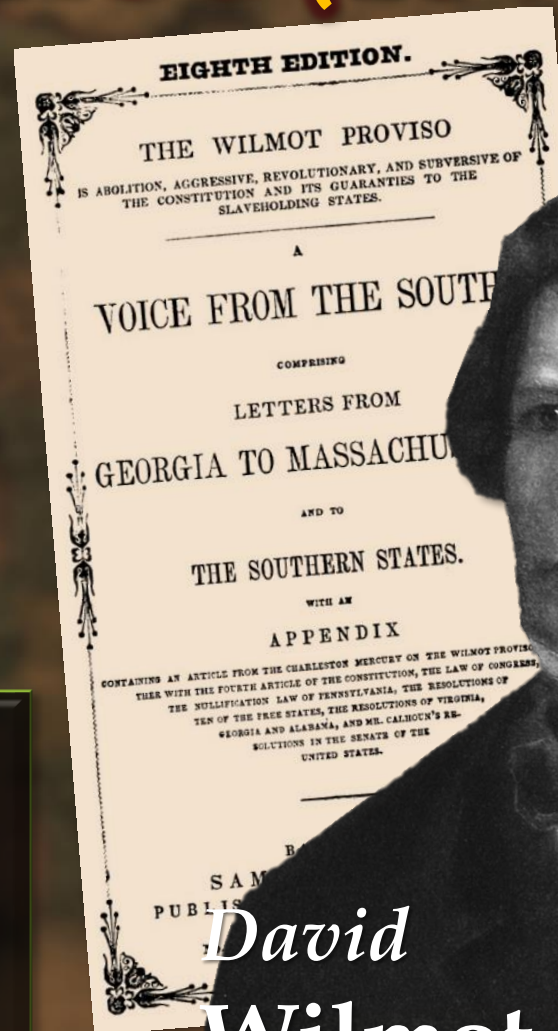


# WILMOT PROVISO (1846)

*Ban slavery from  
the lands taken  
from Mexico  
during the Mexican  
American War*

**NEVER BECAME LAW!**

*Caused a firestorm  
of debate between  
North & South*



*David  
Wilmot  
(D-PA)*



# FREE SOIL MOVEMENT (mid 1840s)

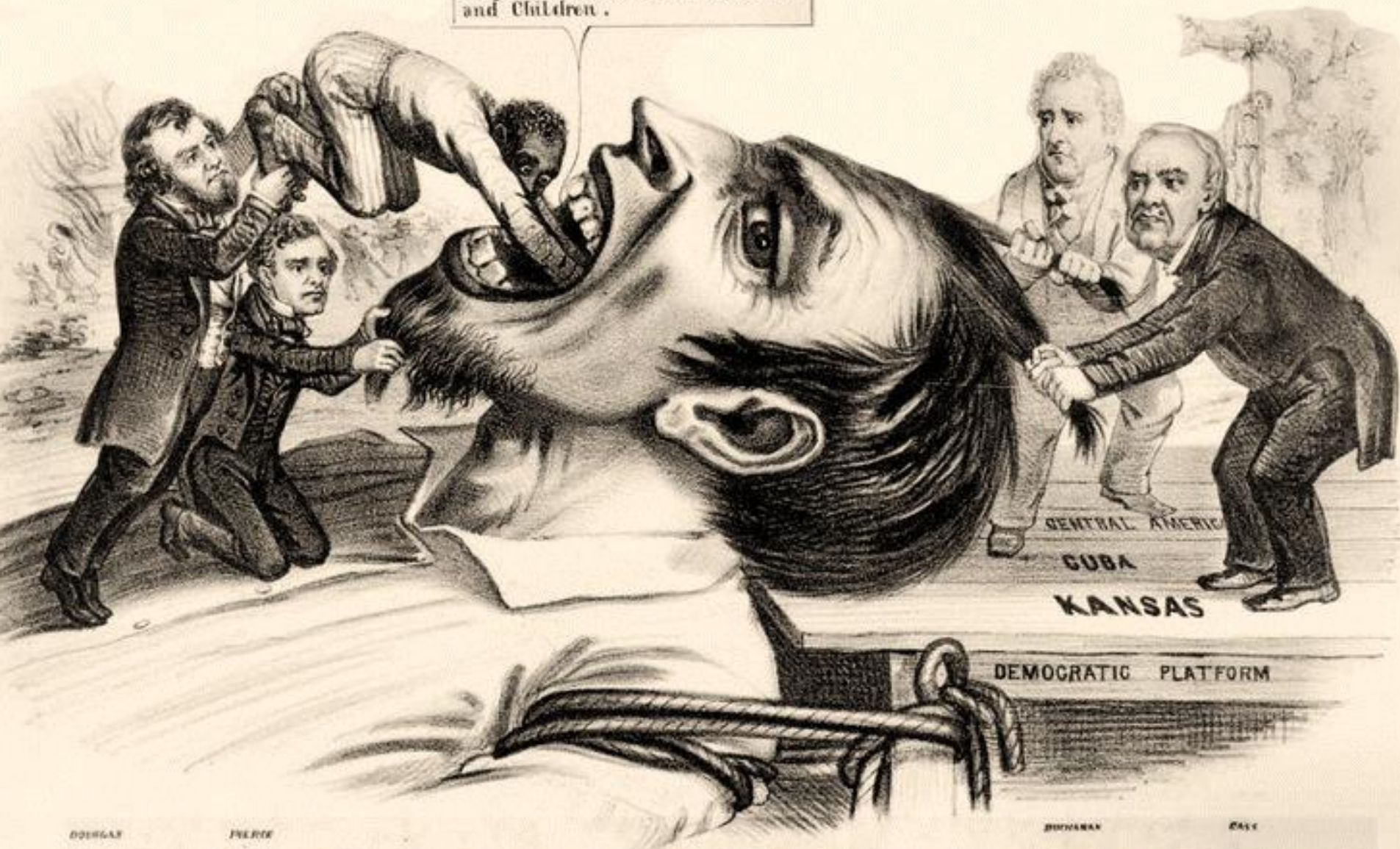
*Anti-slavery movement*  
**NOT ABOLITIONISTS!**



Slavery is a threat  
to Jeffersonian  
republicanism &  
agrarianism



**MURDER !!!** help -  
neighbors help, O my poor Wife  
and Children.



DODGAS

PERCE

BUTYMAN

EASE

**FORCING SLAVERY DOWN THE THROAT OF A FREESOILER**

PUB BY J. L. MAGEE 44 FAYUNK ROAD, THIRL



# ELECTION OF 1848

The collage features several political posters and caricatures from the 1848 US Presidential election. On the left is a large portrait of Zachary Taylor. To his right is a poster depicting a man sitting inside a teepee made of playing cards, with labels for 'CALIFORNIA', 'MEXICO', 'FAME', 'TARIFF', and 'OREGON'. In the center is a poster for the Democratic Party featuring portraits of Lewis Cass and James Butler, with the text 'THE DEMOCRATS PRESIDENTS FROM 1813' and 'BRAND, NATIONAL, DEMOCRATIC BAY'. To the right is a poster for the Free Soil, Free Labor, Free Speech party featuring portraits of Martin Van Buren and Charles F. Adams, with the text 'FREE SOIL, FREE LABOR, FREE SPEECH' and 'NATIONAL, FREE SOIL BANNER'. At the bottom center is a cartoon showing three men milking a cow, with speech bubbles containing political commentary. The background is a dark, textured surface.

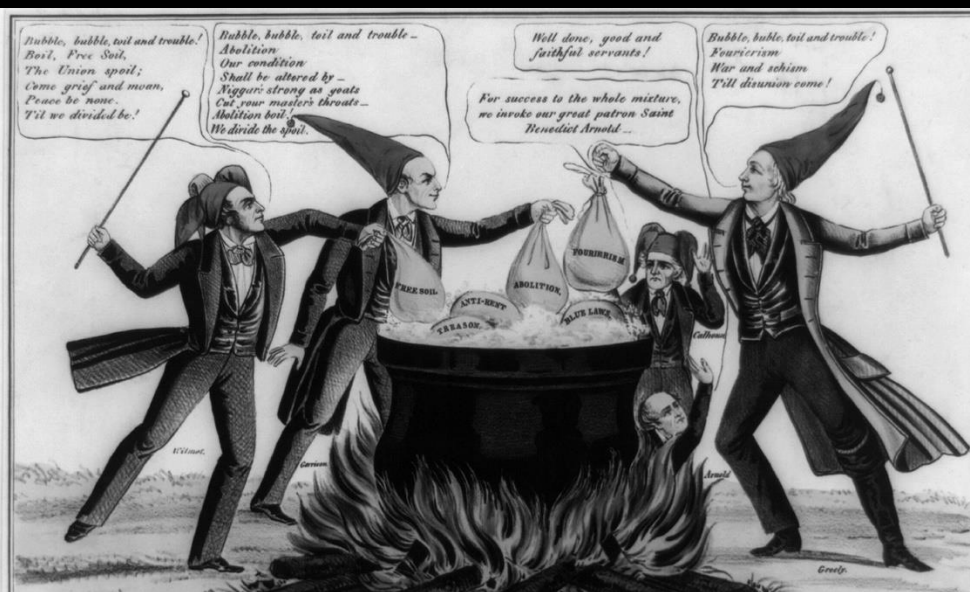
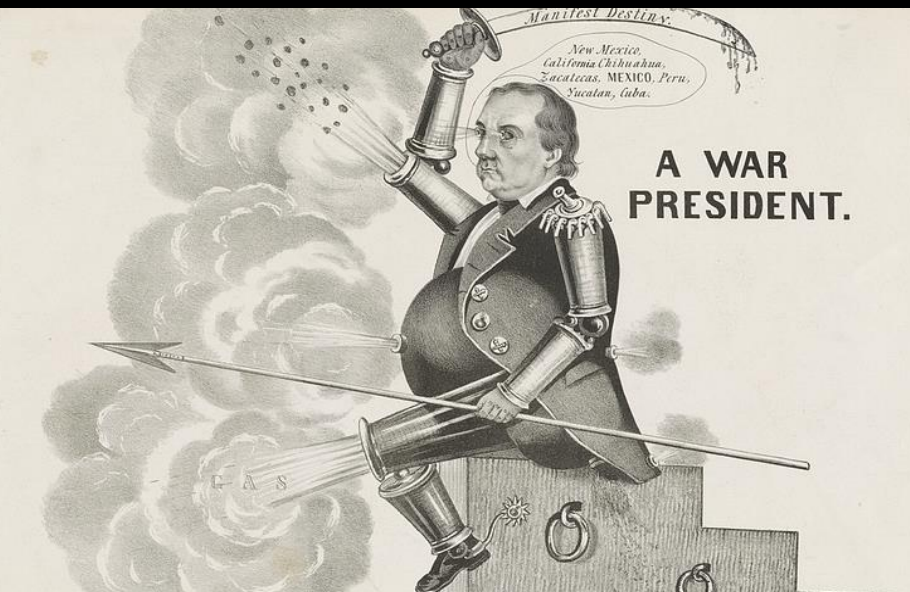






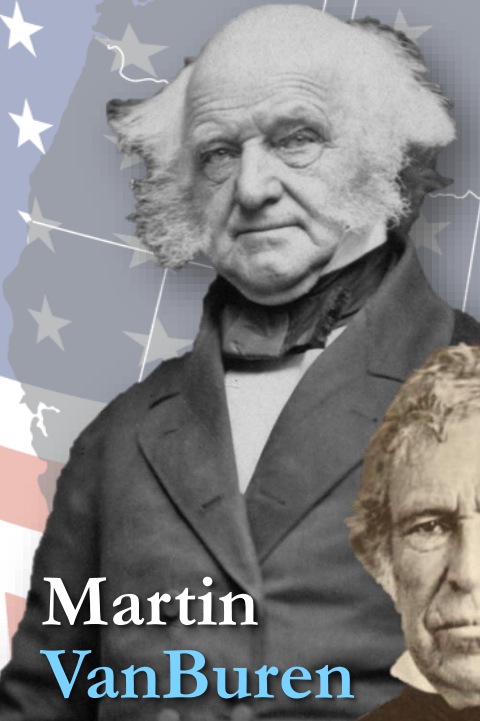
**AN AVAILABLE CANDIDATE.**  
THE ONE QUALIFICATION FOR A WHIG PRESIDENT.

For sale at 30 1/2 Spring St. N.Y.

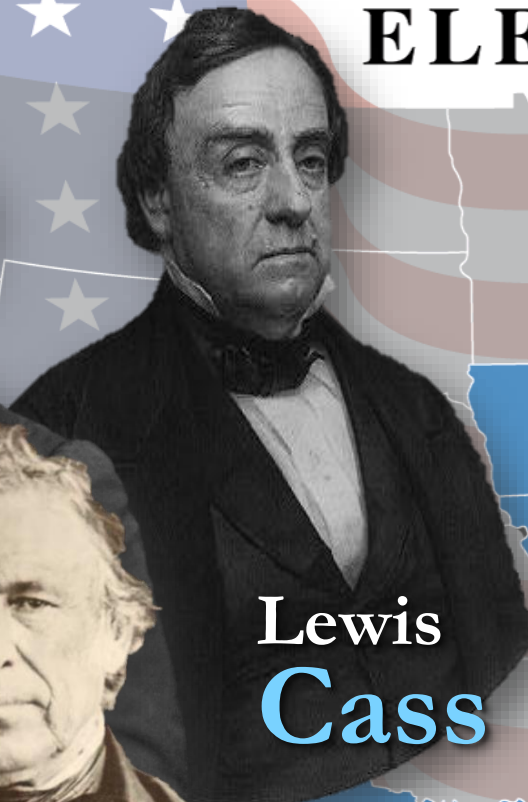




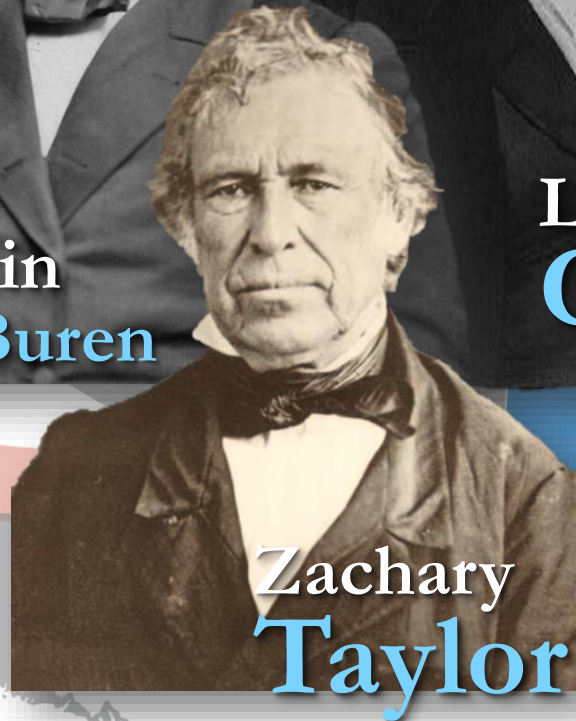
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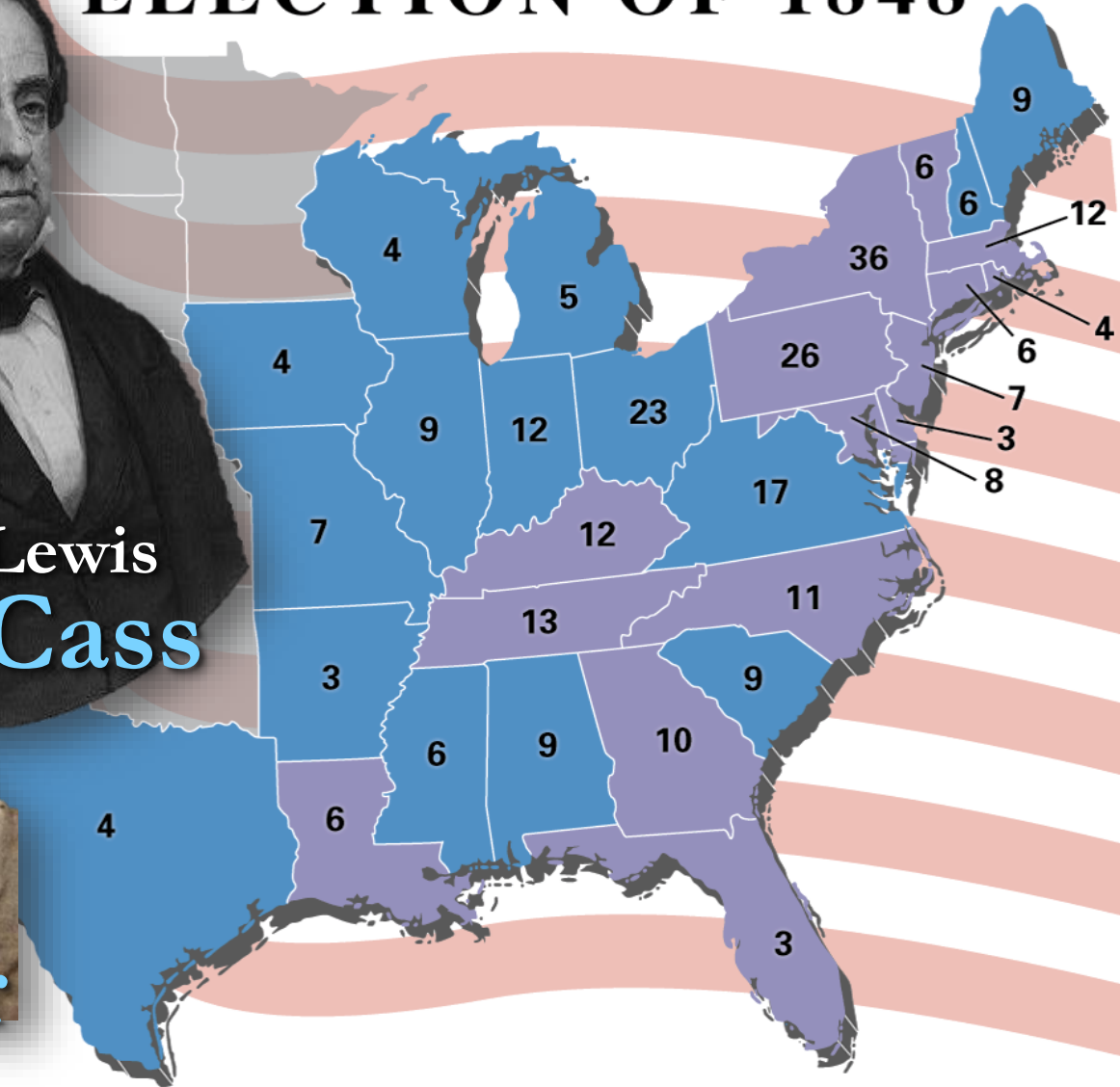
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Cass



Zachary  
Taylor



Taylor (Whig)  
163 electoral votes



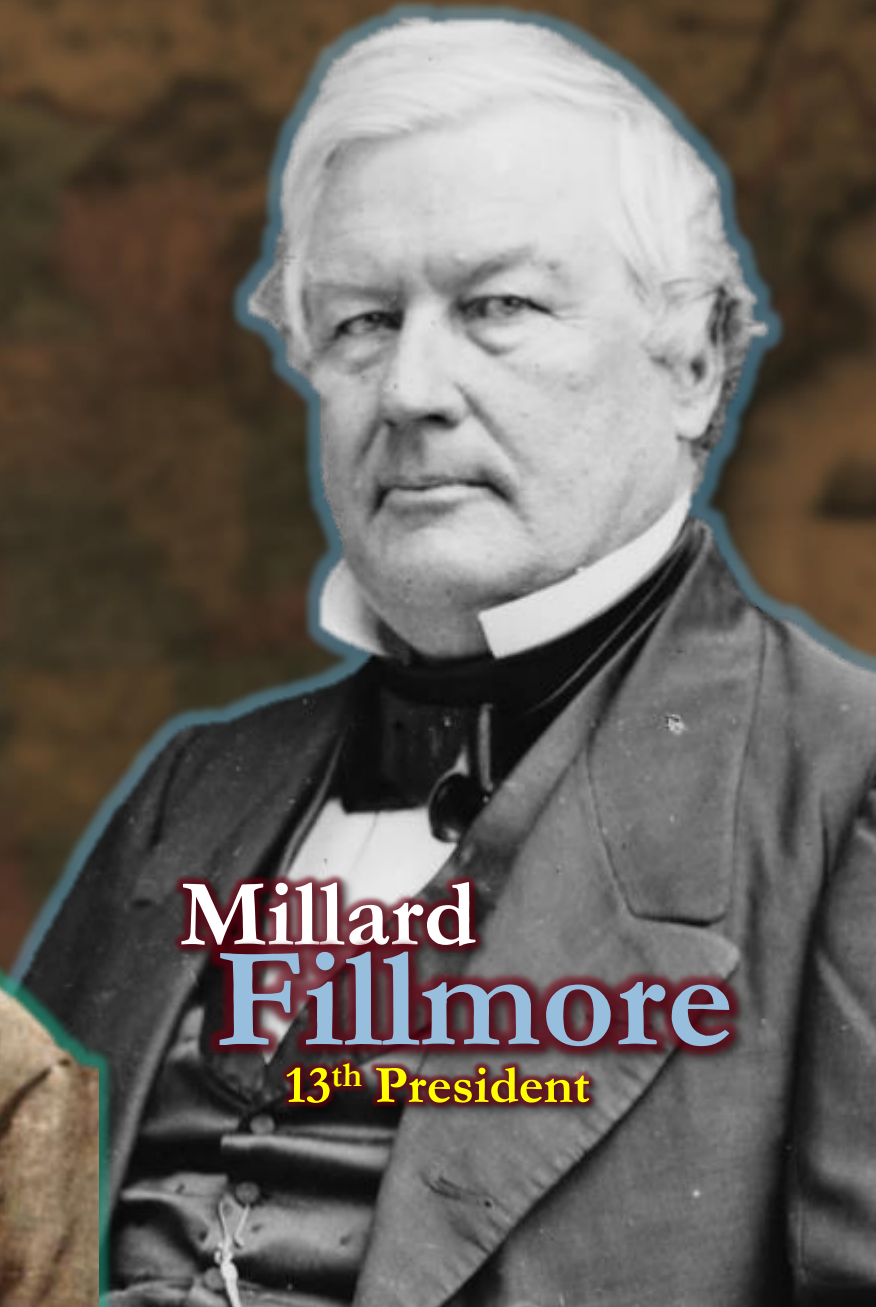
Cass (Democratic)  
127 electoral votes



**Dies of stomach illness**  
**July 1850**



Zachary  
**TAYLOR**  
12<sup>th</sup> President

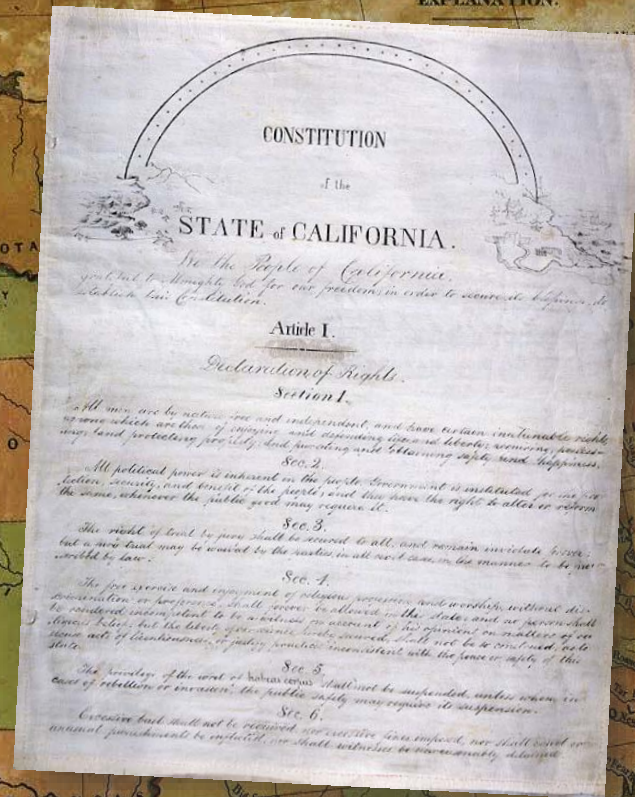


Millard  
**Fillmore**  
13<sup>th</sup> President



# FREE OR SLAVE?

# Nov 1849



## FREE STATES in the Senate: 15

## SLAVE STATES in the Senate: 15





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**Missouri Compromise Line**  
**36° 30'**



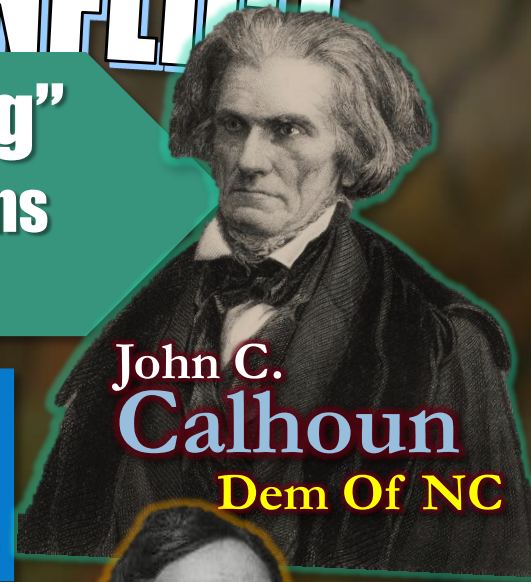
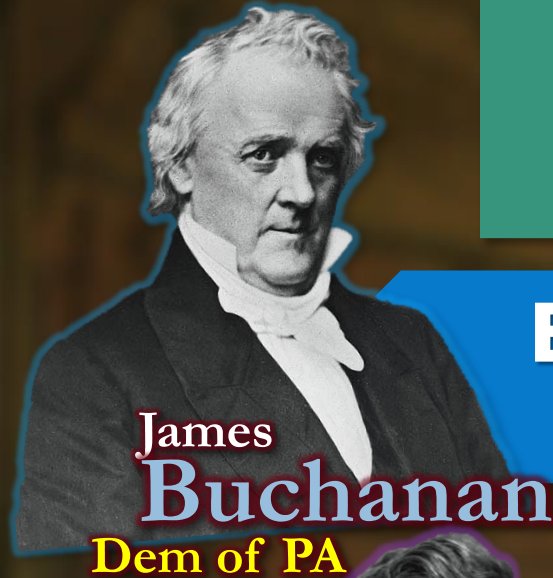


# CONSTITUTIONAL CONFLICT

**“slavery follows the flag”**

**Slaves are property not persons**

**Proposed a duel presidency**

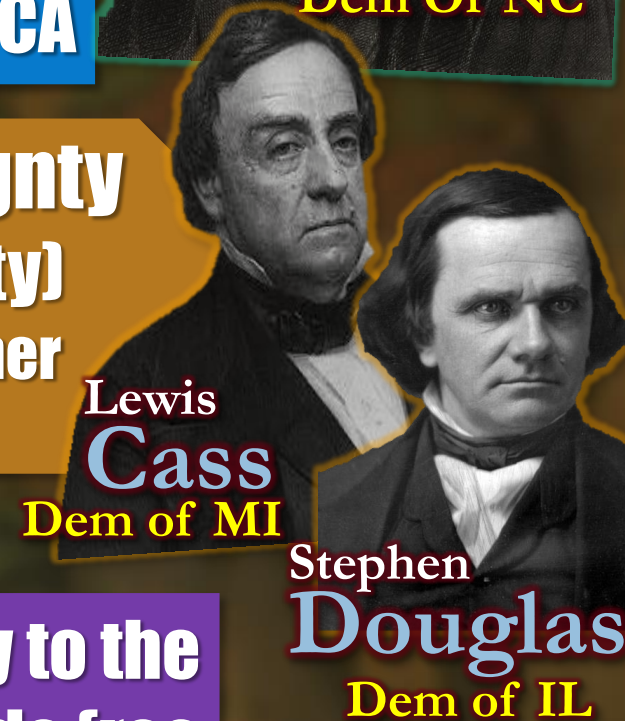
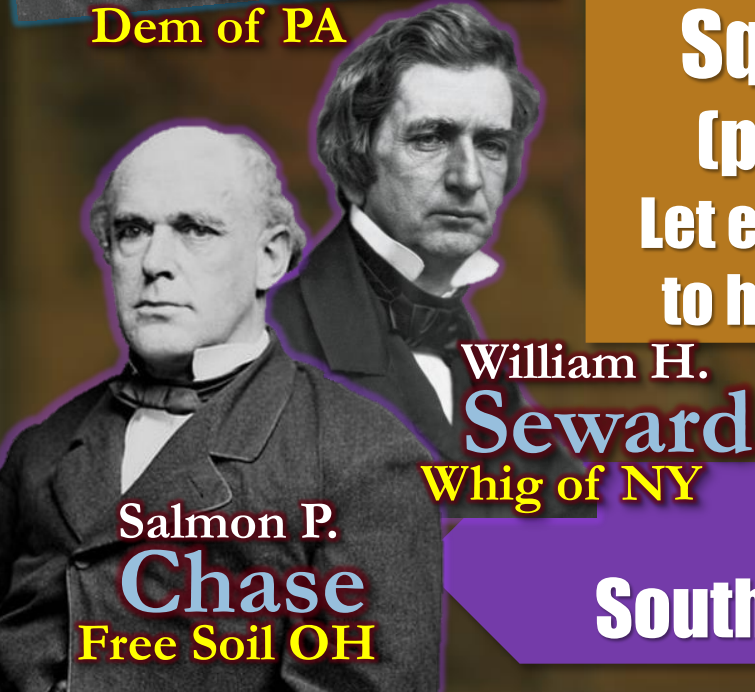


**EXTEND the MO Compromise  
to the Pacific & divide CA**

**Squatter Sovereignty**

**(popular sovereignty)**

**Let each state vote whether  
to have slavery or not**



**Restrict slavery to the  
South & new states made free**



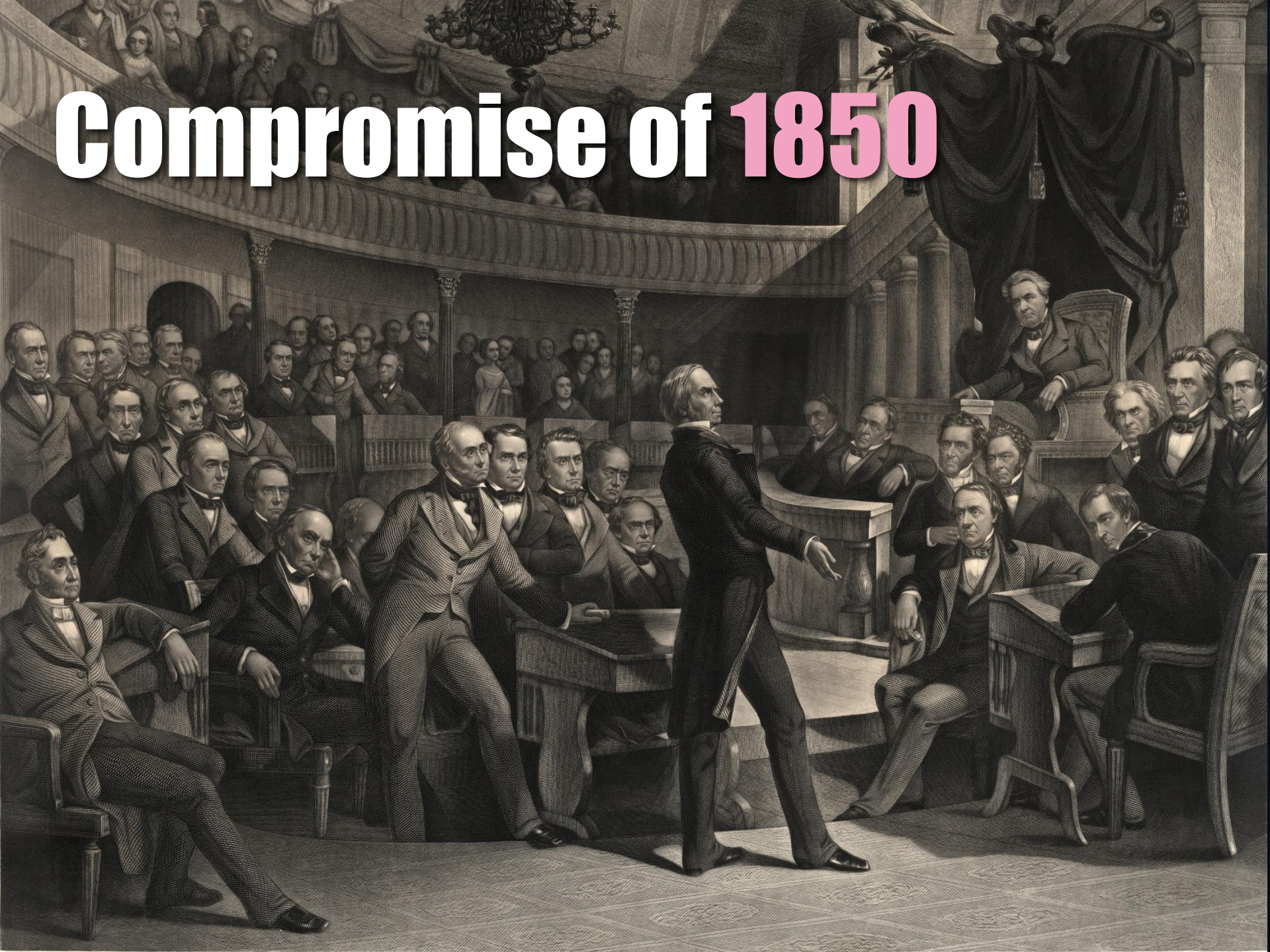
**THE GREAT COMPROMISER**



**HEN-RAY CLAYAHYA!**



# Compromise of 1850





A historical map of the United States, likely from the mid-19th century, showing state boundaries and major geographical features. Overlaid on the map are several colored callout boxes with white text. California is highlighted in purple, Texas in blue, and the area between them is in red. A green star is located in the eastern part of the map, near the Virginia/Maryland border. The Gulf of Mexico is visible at the bottom. An 'EXPLANATION' box in the top right corner provides details about the map's historical context and the lines marked on it.

**CA → free state**

**UT & NM →  
popular sovereignty**

**TX/NM Border Fix  
TX \$10mill debt relief**

**Slave sales  
banned in D.C.**

**Strict Fugitive  
Slave Laws**

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# FUGITIVE SLAVE LAW Reactions

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**THE BLACK LIST.**  
*Names and Addresses of Members of the Association.*

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# 100 DOLLARS REWARD!

Ran away from the subscriber on the 27th of July, my Black Woman, named

## EMILY,

Seventeen years of age, well grown, black color, has a whining voice. She took with her one dark calico and one blue and white dress, a red corded gingham bonnet; a white striped shawl and slippers. I will pay the above reward if taken near the Ohio river on the Kentucky side, or **THREE HUNDRED DOLLARS**, if taken in the State of Ohio, and delivered to me near Lewisburg, Mason County, Ky.

**THO'S. H. WILLIAMS.**

August 4, 1853.

## \$200 Reward.

RAUNAWAY from the subscriber, on the night of Thursday, the 30th of September.

## FIVE NEGRO SLAVES,

To-wit: one Negro man, his wife, and three children.

The man is a black negro, full height, very erect, his face a little thin. He is about forty years of age, and calls himself *Washington Reed*, and is known by the name of Washington. He is probably well dressed, possibly takes with him an ivory headed cane, and is of good address. Several of his teeth are gone.

His wife is about thirty years of age, a bright mulatto woman, and quite stout and strong.

# \$500, REWARD.

Ran away from the undersigned, on Sunday the 9th inst., a negro boy named

## AARON OR APE.

He is about 20 years old, six feet high, with rather unusually large legs and arms; walks bent forward with one foot turned out more than the other. I will give \$150,00 reward for him if taken in the county; \$100,00 reward if taken in the counties south of this and \$200,00 if taken in any of the Mississippi counties or \$500 if taken out of the State.

**O. M. HARRIS,**

Three miles south of Middle Grove  
Monroe County, Missouri.

REGISTER PRINT, MACON CITY, MO.

## \$150 REWARD.

RAUNAWAY from the subscriber, on the night of Monday the 11th July, a negro man named

## TOM,

about 30 years of age, 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high; of dark color; heavy in the chest; several of his jaw teeth out; and upon his body are several old marks of the whip, one of them straight down the back. He took with him a quantity of clothing, and several hats.

A reward of \$150 will be paid for his apprehension and security, if taken out of the State of Kentucky; \$100 if taken in any county bordering on the Ohio river; \$50 if taken in any of the interior counties except Fayette; or \$20 if taken in the latter county.

July 12-84-tf

B. L. BOSTON.



# \$2,500 REWARD!

**RANAWAY**, from the Subscriber, residing in Mississippi county, Mo., on Monday the 5th inst., my  
**Negro Man named GEORGE.**

Said negro is five feet ten inches high, of dark complexion, he plays well on the Violin and several other instruments. He is a shrewd, smart fellow and of a very affable countenance, and is twenty-five years of age. If said negro is taken and confined in St. Louis Jail, or brought to this county so that I get him, the above reward of \$1,000 will be promptly paid.

**JOHN MEANS.**

Also, from Radford E. Stanley,

**A NEGRO MAN SLAVE, NAMED NOAH,**

Full 6 feet high; black complexion; full eyes; free spoken and intelligent; will weigh about 180 pounds; 32 years old; had with him 2 or 3 suits of clothes, white hat, short blue blanket coat, a pair of saddle bags, a pocket compass, and supposed to have \$350 or \$400 with him.

**ALSO--A NEGRO MAN NAMED HAMP,**

Of dark copper color, big thick lips, about 6 feet high, weighs about 175 pounds, 36 years old, with a scar in the forehead from the kick of a horse; had a lump on one of his wrists and is left-handed. Had with him two suits of clothes, one a waist or cloth coat and grey pants.

**Also, Negro Man Slave named BOB,**

Copper color, high cheek bones, 5 feet 11 inches high, weighs about 150 pounds; 22 years old, very white teeth and a space between the centre of the upper teeth. Had a blue blanket sack coat with red striped lining. Supposed to have two suits of clothes with him; is a little lame in one ankle.

\$1,000 will be given for George--\$500 for Noah--\$450 for Hamp--\$450 for Bob; if caught in a free State, or a reasonable compensation if caught in a Slave State, if delivered to the Subscribers in Miss. Co., Mo., or confined in Jail in St. Louis, so that we get them. Refer to

**JOHN MEANS &  
R. E. STANLEY.**

ST. LOUIS, August 28, 1852.

(PLEASE STICK UP.)

# CAUTION!!

## COLORED PEOPLE

**OF BOSTON, ONE & ALL,**

You are hereby respectfully **CAUTIONED** and advised, to avoid conversing with the  
**Watchmen and Police Officers**  
**of Boston,**

For since the recent **ORDER OF THE MAYOR & ALDERMEN**, they are empowered to act as

## KIDNAPPERS

**AND**

## Slave Catchers,

And they have already been actually employed in **KIDNAPPING, CATCHING, AND KEEPING SLAVES.** Therefore, if you value your **LIBERTY**, and the *Welfare of the Fugitives* among you, *Shun* them in every possible manner, as so many **HOUNDS** on the track of the most unfortunate of your race.

**Keep a Sharp Look Out for**  
**KIDNAPPERS, and have**  
**TOP EYE open.**

**APRIL 24, 1851.**



# Fugitive Slaves

ATTENTION.

The Slave-hunter is among us!  
BE ON YOUR GUARD!  
AN ARREST IS PLANNED FOR TO-NIGHT.

BE READY TO RECEIVE THEM,  
WHENEVER THEY COME!



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# Read and Ponder THE FUGITIVE SLAVE LAW!

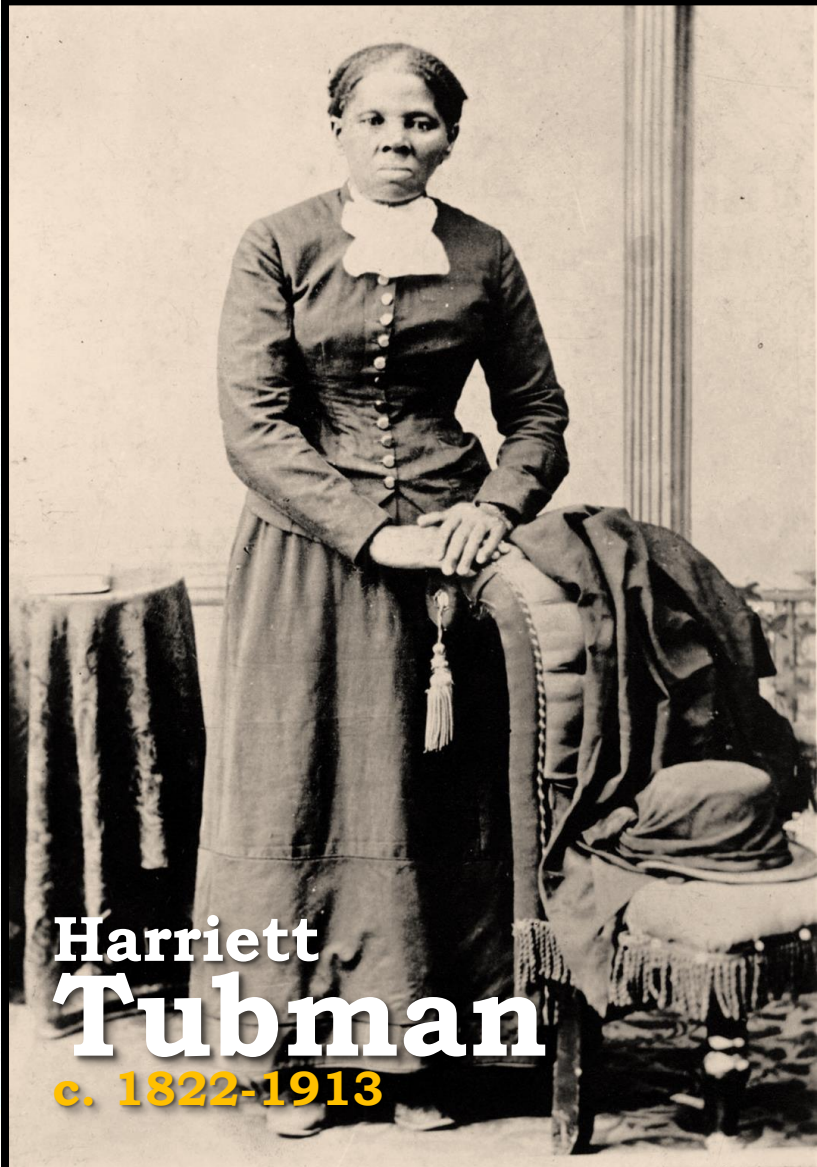
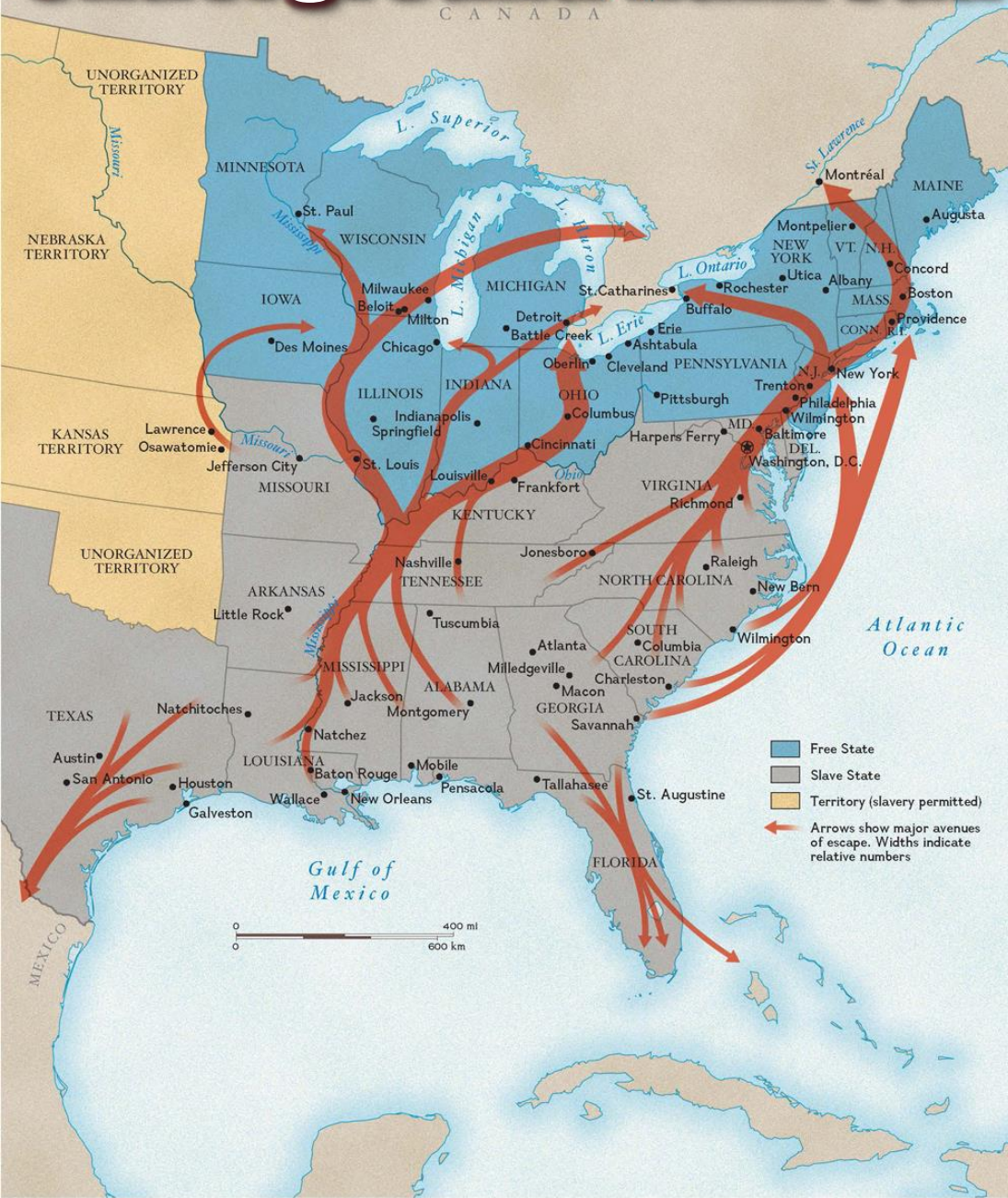
Which disregards all the ordinary securities of PERSONAL LIBERTY, which tramples on the Constitution, by its denial of the sacred rights of Trial by Jury, Habeas Corpus, and Appeal, and which enacts, that the Cardinal Virtues of Christianity shall be considered, in the eye of the law, as CRIMES, punishable with the severest penalties,—Fines and Imprisonment.

Freemen of Massachusetts, REMEMBER, That Samuel A. Elliott of Boston, voted for this law, that Millard Filmore, our whig President approved it and the Whig Journals of Massachusetts sustain them in this iniquity.





# Underground Railroad



**Harriett  
Tubman**  
c. 1822-1913



# Northern Personal Liberty Laws

Laws passed to help black citizens & fugitive slaves. Guaranteed a trial by jury & forbid state authorities from cooperating in capturing fugitive slaves





# UNCLE TOM'S CABIN 1852

Harriet Beecher Stowe

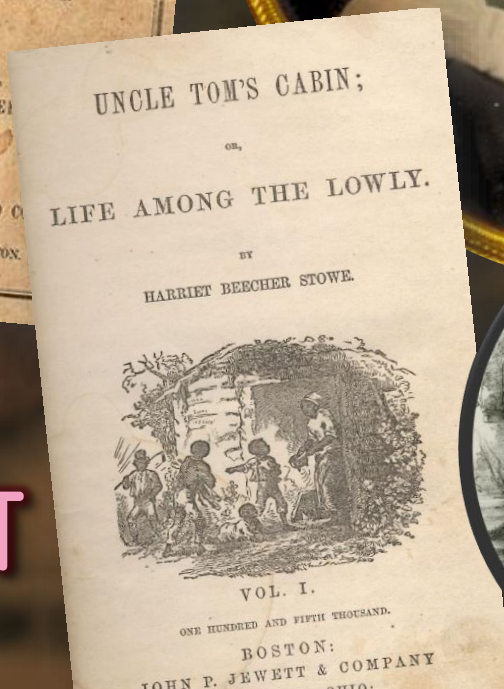
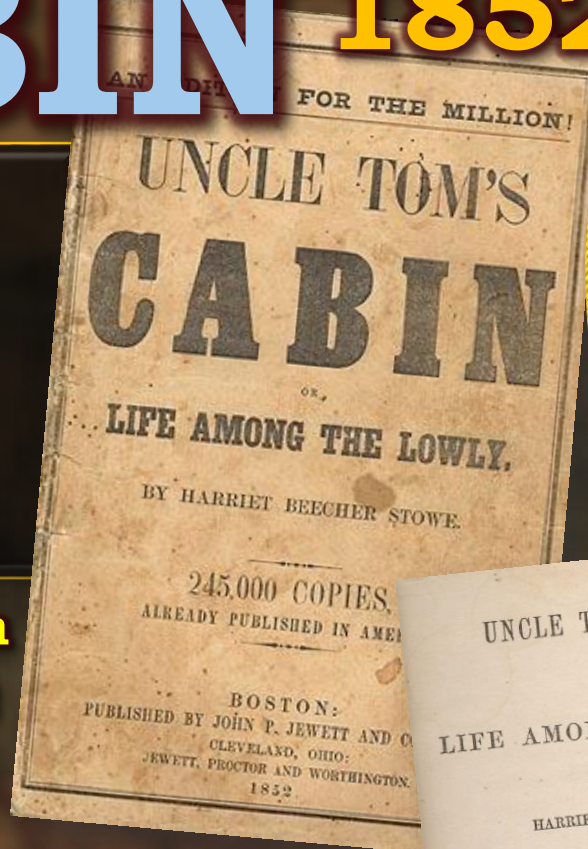
- 300,000 first year
- 2 million by 1862

Inspired Northern  
**Resistance**

*Literary  
& artistic*

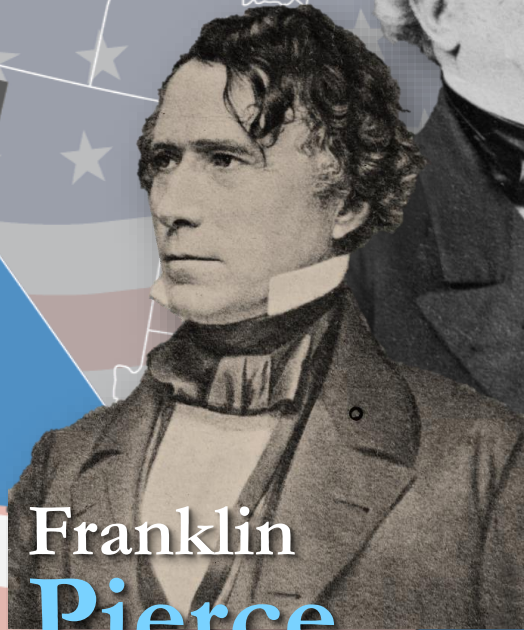
Outlawed  
in the  
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MORAL  
ARGUMENT





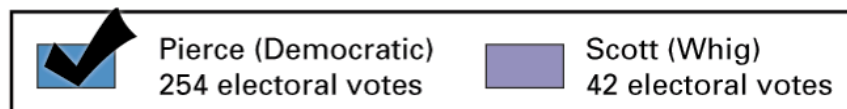
# ELECTION OF 1852



Franklin  
Pierce



Winfield  
Scott







**Ostend Manifesto**  
**Plan for U.S. to buy 1854**  
**Cuba from Spain or War**  
**Freesoilers, Northerners, &**  
**Abolitionists against plan**  
**FEAR OF A**  
**SLAVEOCRACY**





# KANSAS NEBRASKA ACT

## (1854)

### THE ELECTION OF PRESIDENT.

| States               | Electors | Popular Vote | Electors       | Popular Vote |        |
|----------------------|----------|--------------|----------------|--------------|--------|
| Alabama              | 7        | 10,000       | Missouri       | 10           | 10,000 |
| Arkansas             | 7        | 10,000       | Nebraska       | 10           | 10,000 |
| California           | 7        | 10,000       | Nevada         | 10           | 10,000 |
| Colorado             | 7        | 10,000       | New Hampshire  | 10           | 10,000 |
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| Iowa                 | 7        | 10,000       | Tennessee      | 10           | 10,000 |
| Kansas               | 7        | 10,000       | Vermont        | 10           | 10,000 |
| Kentucky             | 7        | 10,000       | Virginia       | 10           | 10,000 |
| Louisiana            | 7        | 10,000       | Washington     | 10           | 10,000 |
| Maine                | 7        | 10,000       | West Virginia  | 10           | 10,000 |
| Maryland             | 7        | 10,000       | Wisconsin      | 10           | 10,000 |
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| Texas                | 7        | 10,000       |                |              |        |
| Vermont              | 7        | 10,000       |                |              |        |
| Virginia             | 7        | 10,000       |                |              |        |
| Washington           | 7        | 10,000       |                |              |        |
| West Virginia        | 7        | 10,000       |                |              |        |
| Wisconsin            | 7        | 10,000       |                |              |        |
| Wyoming              | 7        | 10,000       |                |              |        |
| Yukon                | 7        | 10,000       |                |              |        |

### The Presidents and Vice-Presidents.

| President             | Vice-President        |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| George Washington     | John Adams            |
| John Adams            | Thomas Jefferson      |
| Thomas Jefferson      | Aaron Burr            |
| James Madison         | George Clinton        |
| James Monroe          | James D. Smith        |
| John Quincy Adams     | Calvin C. Chase       |
| Andrew Jackson        | John C. Calhoun       |
| Martin Van Buren      | Richard M. Johnson    |
| Franklin Pierce       | William A. Rusk       |
| Abraham Lincoln       | Andrew Johnson        |
| Ulysses S. Grant      | Schuyler Colfax       |
| Rutherford B. Hayes   | William A. Wheeler    |
| James A. Garfield     | Chester A. Arthur     |
| Benjamin Harrison     | Levi P. Morton        |
| Grover Cleveland      | Theodore Roosevelt    |
| William McKinley      | Mark Hanna            |
| Theodore Roosevelt    | Charles Fairbanks     |
| Woodrow Wilson        | Thomas R. Marshall    |
| Warren G. Harding     | Coxey                 |
| Calvin Coolidge       | Charles G. Dawes      |
| Herbert Hoover        | Charles McNair        |
| Franklin D. Roosevelt | Henry A. Wallace      |
| Dwight D. Eisenhower  | Richard M. Nixon      |
| John F. Kennedy       | Lyndon B. Johnson     |
| Lyndon B. Johnson     | Hubert H. Humphrey    |
| Richard M. Nixon      | Spiro T. Agnew        |
| Gerald R. Ford        | Nelson A. Rockefeller |
| Jerry Brown           | Edward Brooke         |
| Ronald Reagan         | Richard M. Nixon      |
| Jimmy Carter          | Walter Mondale        |
| Jimmy Carter          | George Bush           |
| George H. W. Bush     | Michael Dukakis       |
| Bill Clinton          | Al Gore               |
| George W. Bush        | Kerry                 |

### FREEDOM VS. SLAVERY: COMPARISON OF THE CHIEF STATISTICS OF THE FREE STATES AND OF THE SLAVE STATES, ACCORDING TO THE U. S. CENSUS OF 1850.

| Free States          | Slave States | Free States    | Slave States |
|----------------------|--------------|----------------|--------------|
| Alabama              | 10,000       | Mississippi    | 10,000       |
| Arkansas             | 10,000       | Montana        | 10,000       |
| California           | 10,000       | Nebraska       | 10,000       |
| Colorado             | 10,000       | Nevada         | 10,000       |
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| Wisconsin            | 10,000       |                |              |
| Wyoming              | 10,000       |                |              |
| Yukon                | 10,000       |                |              |

### POST-OFFICE STATISTICS FOR A SINGLE YEAR.

| Year | Letters | Postage |
|------|---------|---------|
| 1850 | 10,000  | 10,000  |
| 1851 | 10,000  | 10,000  |
| 1852 | 10,000  | 10,000  |
| 1853 | 10,000  | 10,000  |
| 1854 | 10,000  | 10,000  |
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| 1860 | 10,000  | 10,000  |

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### STATISTICS OF THE FREE STATES.

| Year | Population | Area   |
|------|------------|--------|
| 1850 | 10,000     | 10,000 |
| 1851 | 10,000     | 10,000 |
| 1852 | 10,000     | 10,000 |
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| 1854 | 10,000     | 10,000 |
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| 1860 | 10,000     | 10,000 |

### CONGRESSIONAL REPRESENTATION.

| Year | Representatives | Senators |
|------|-----------------|----------|
| 1850 | 10,000          | 10,000   |
| 1851 | 10,000          | 10,000   |
| 1852 | 10,000          | 10,000   |
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### UNITED STATES DEBT.

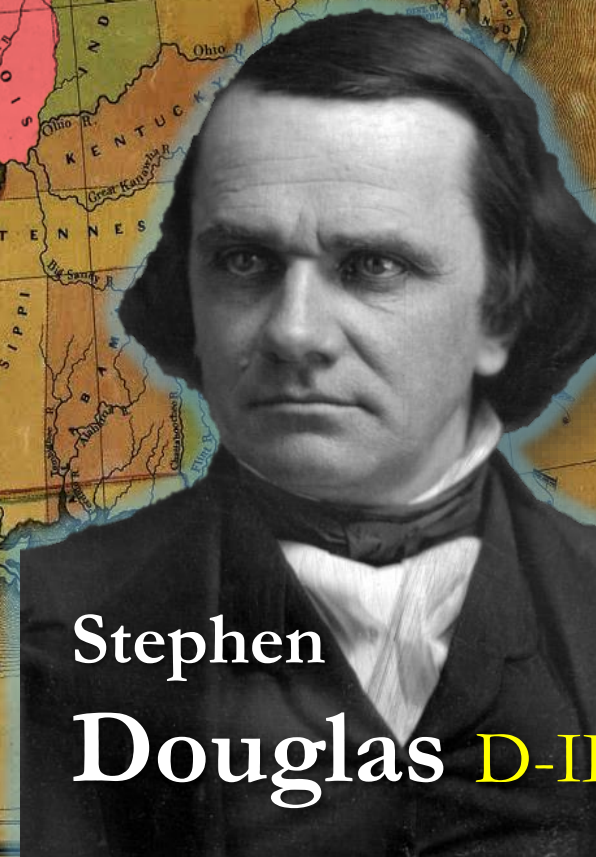
| Year | Debt   | Interest |
|------|--------|----------|
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| 1851 | 10,000 | 10,000   |
| 1852 | 10,000 | 10,000   |
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#### EXPLANATION.

The lines marked thus ..... show the limits established by the Treaties made between the U. States & G. Britain in 1783 & 1842.  
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The lines marked thus ..... the Treaty of 1795 with Spain.  
The lines marked thus ..... the Treaty of 1803 with France.  
The lines marked thus ..... the Treaty of 1819 with Spain.  
The lines marked thus ..... the Treaty of 1848 with Mexico.

## Transcontinental Railroad to link IL to CA



Stephen  
Douglas D-II





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Has to be organized into states.... So, free or slave?

Stephen Douglas D-II









# BLEEDING KANSAS

(1854-1861)



# CIVIL WAR

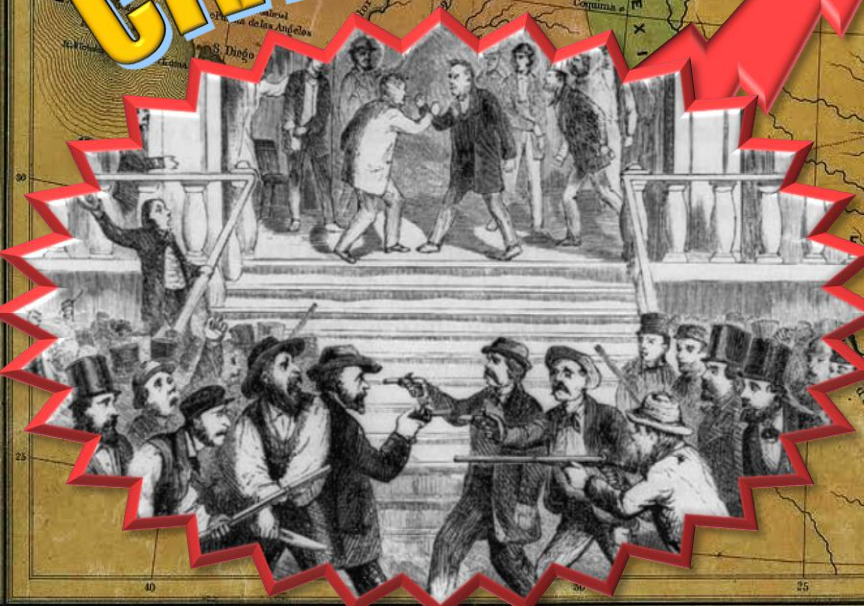
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NORTHERN  
FREE SOILERS

SOUTHERN  
SLAVEHOLDERS





# SUMNER-BROOKS INCIDENT (1855)



**SOUTHERN CHIVALRY — ARGUMENT VERSUS CLUB'S.**





*Charles*  
**Sumner**

*Preston S.*  
**Brooks**

*Andrew*  
**Butler**

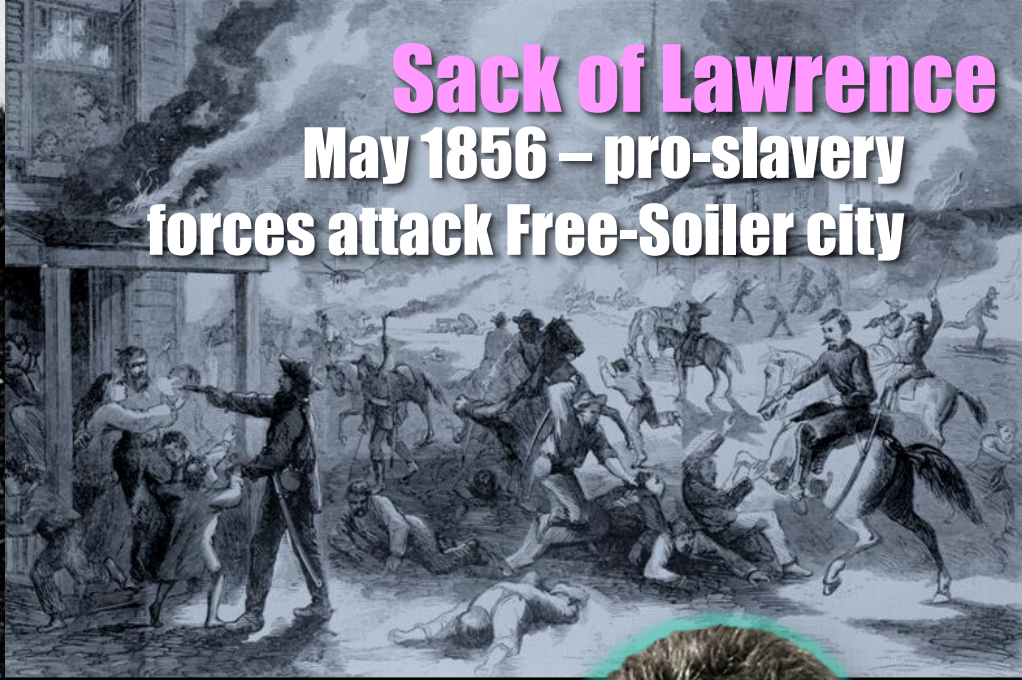
- ❖ **Sumner anti-slavery speech & personally maligned S. Senator Andrew Butler**
- ❖ **Brooks defended relative by beating Sumner with a cane in the Senate chamber**



*“But the Senator touches nothing which he does not disfigure -- with error, sometimes of principle, sometimes of fact. He shows an incapacity of accuracy, whether in stating the Constitution or in stating the law, whether in details of statistics or diversions of scholarship. He cannot open his mouth, but out there flies a blunder....The senator from South Carolina has read many books of chivalry, and believes himself a chivalrous knight with sentiments of honor and courage. Of course he has chosen a mistress to whom he has made his vows, and who, though ugly to others, is always lovely to him; though polluted in the sight of the world, is chaste in his sight -- I mean the harlot, slavery. For her his tongue is always profuse in words. Let her be impeached in character, or any proposition made to shut her out from the extension of her wantonness, and no extravagance of manner or hardihood of assertion is then too great for this senator.”*

***Excerpt from Sumner's Speech***





## Sack of Lawrence

May 1856 – pro-slavery  
forces attack Free-Soiler city



## Pottawatomie Massacre

May 1856 – 5 pro-slavery men  
butchered by JB & posse

John  
Brown



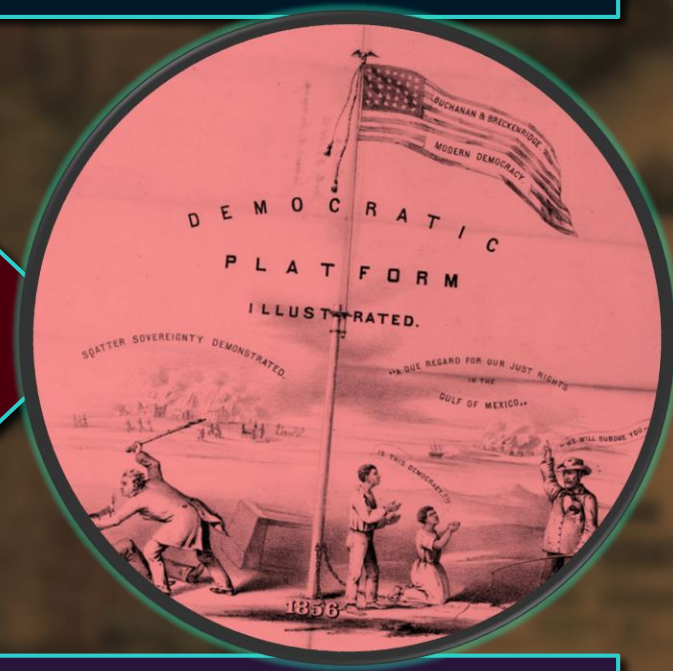
# POLITICAL SHIFTS



**WHIG PARTY COLLAPSES** due to sectional differences over slavery

**DEMOCRAT PARTY SECTIONALIZES**

Became solely a Southern pro-slavery party

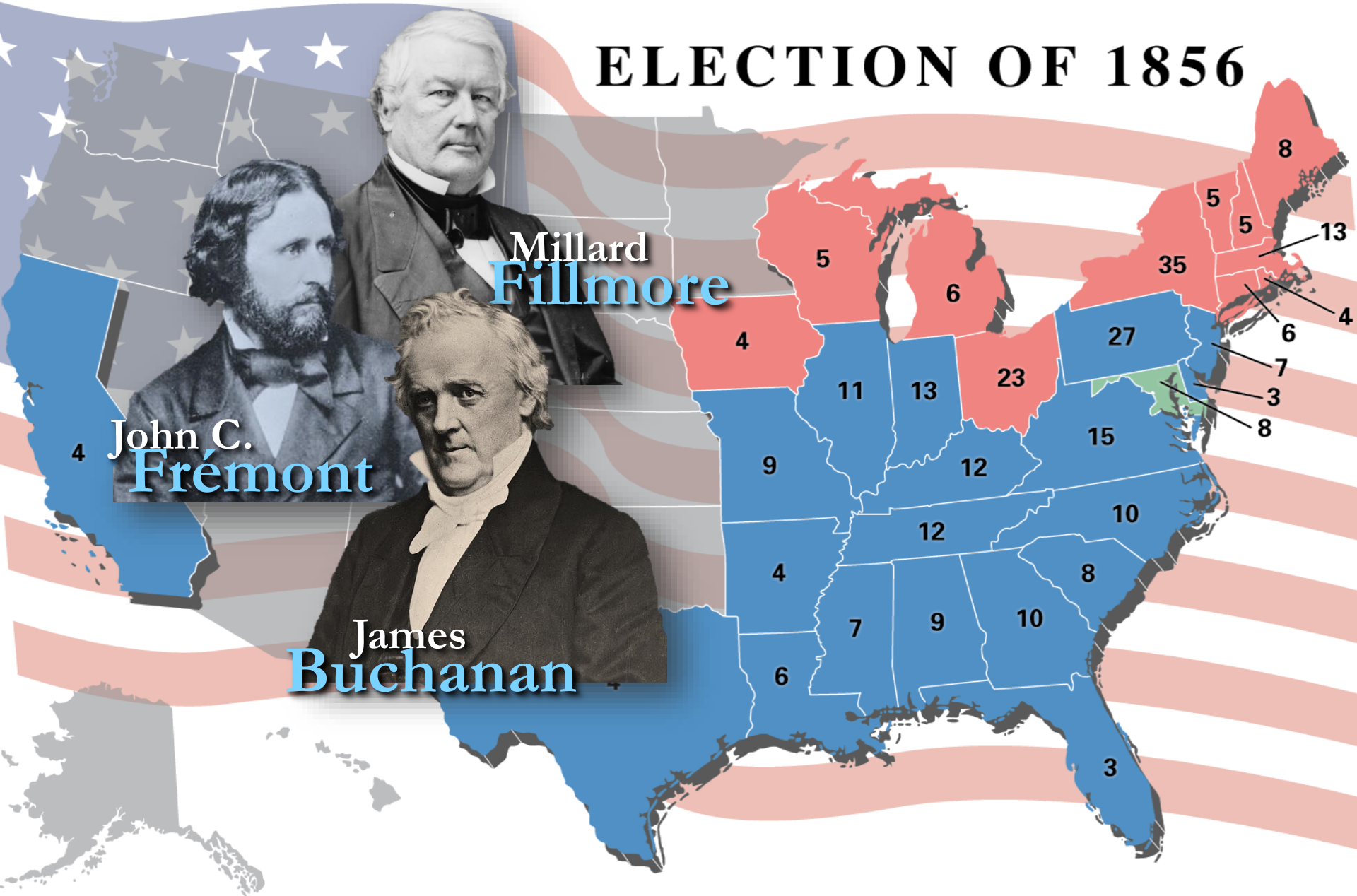


**NATIONAL REPUBLICAN  
PLATFORM**

**REPUBLICAN PARTY BIRTHED**  
Anti-KS-NE Act: Solely FREE SOILER  
anti-slavery Northern party



# ELECTION OF 1856



Buchanan (Democratic)  
174 electoral votes



Frémont (Republican)  
114 electoral votes



Fillmore (American)  
8 electoral votes



# **DRED SCOTT CASE (1856)**

THE CASE

OF

DRED SCOTT

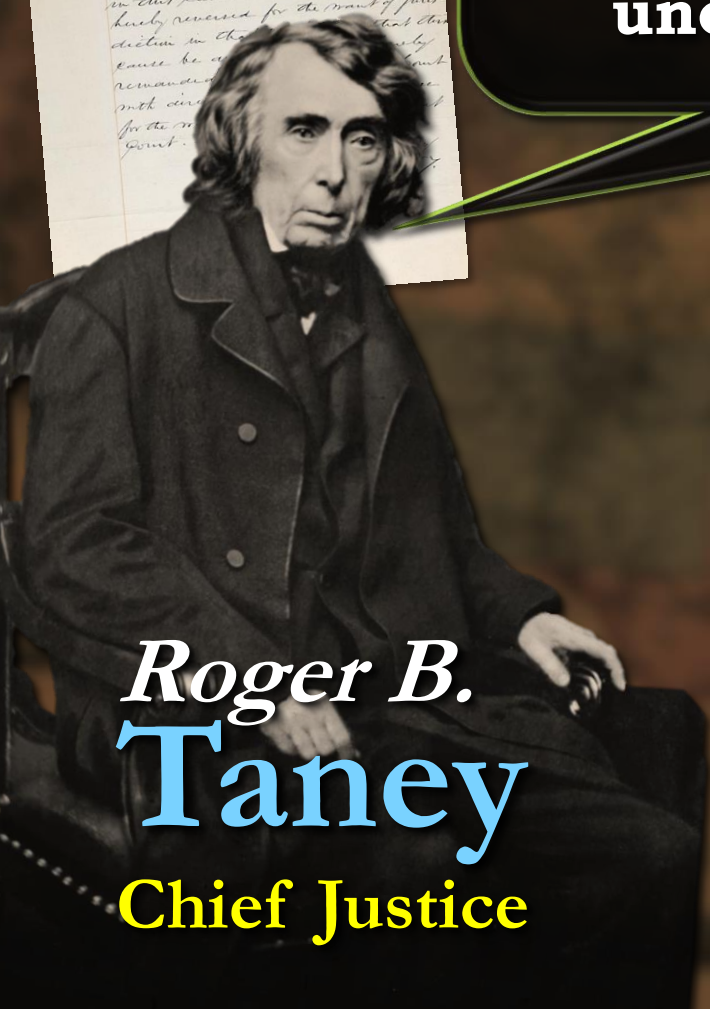
IN THE

UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT



- 
1. African Americans are not citizens  
2. Slaves are property & therefore have NO rights as persons  
3. The Missouri Compromise was unconstitutional (slavery left to states)

Sued his master  
to gain freedom  
after having lived  
in free states  
for many  
years



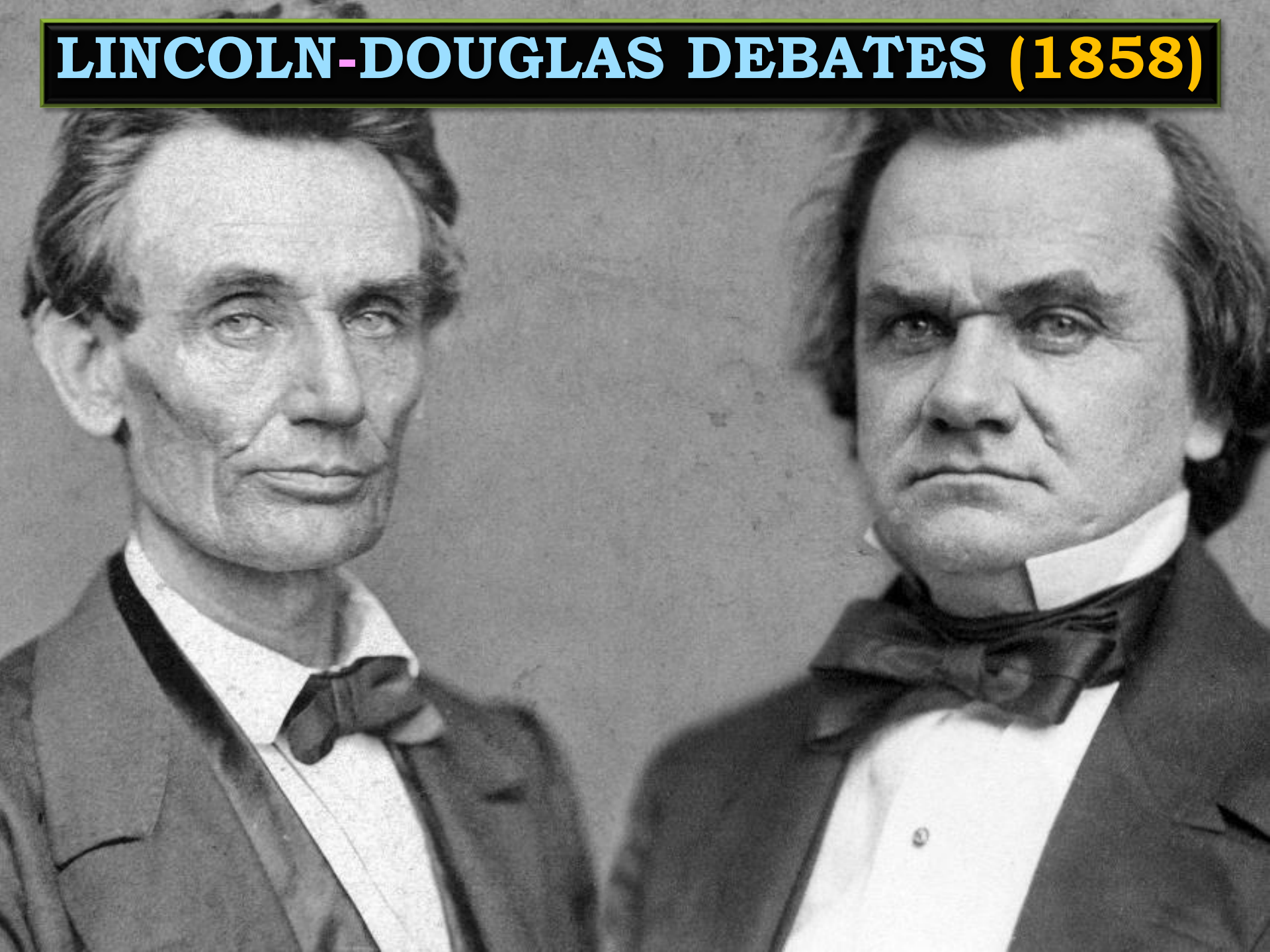
Roger B.  
**Taney**  
Chief Justice



Dred  
**Scott**



# LINCOLN-DOUGLAS DEBATES (1858)





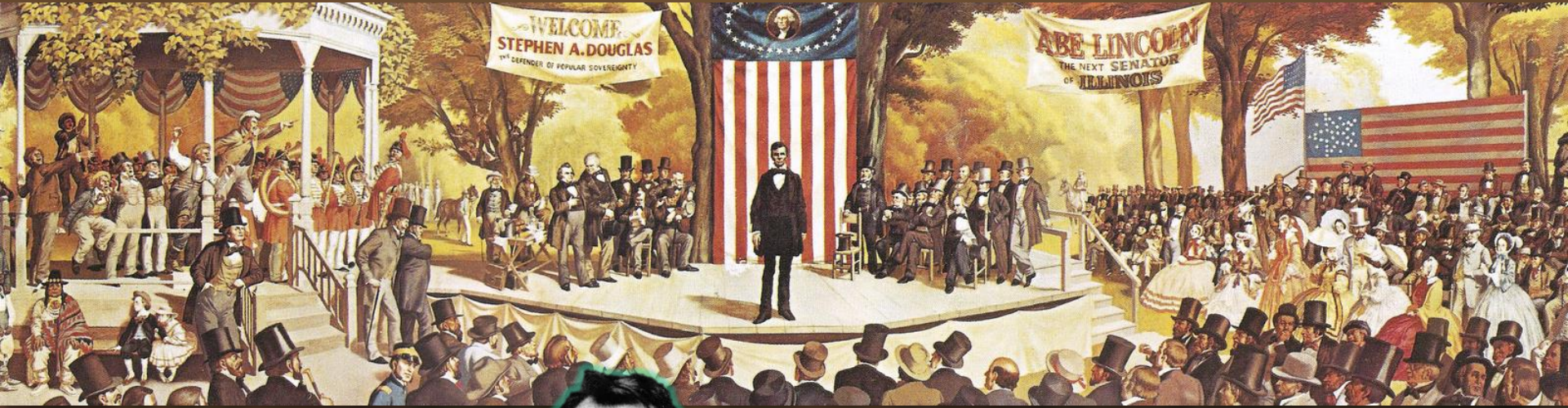
A black and white portrait of two men, Abraham Lincoln on the left and Stephen A. Douglas on the right. Both are wearing dark suits with white shirts and dark bow ties. Lincoln has a serious expression, while Douglas has a more intense, slightly stern look. The background is a plain, light color.

**7 Debates**

**Illinois  
Senate Race**

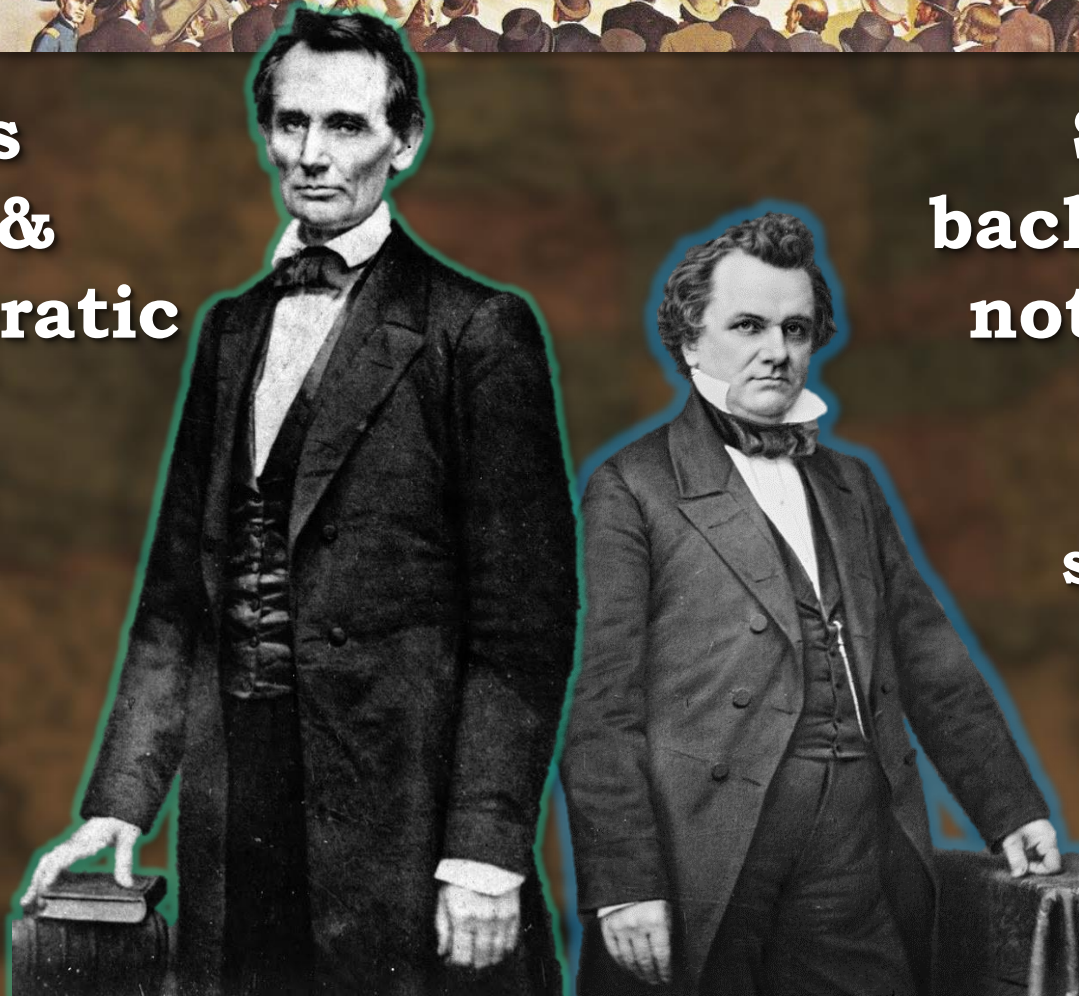
**Issues of Slavery,  
Dred Scott & Pop.  
Sovereignty**





**Slavery is  
immoral &  
undemocratic**

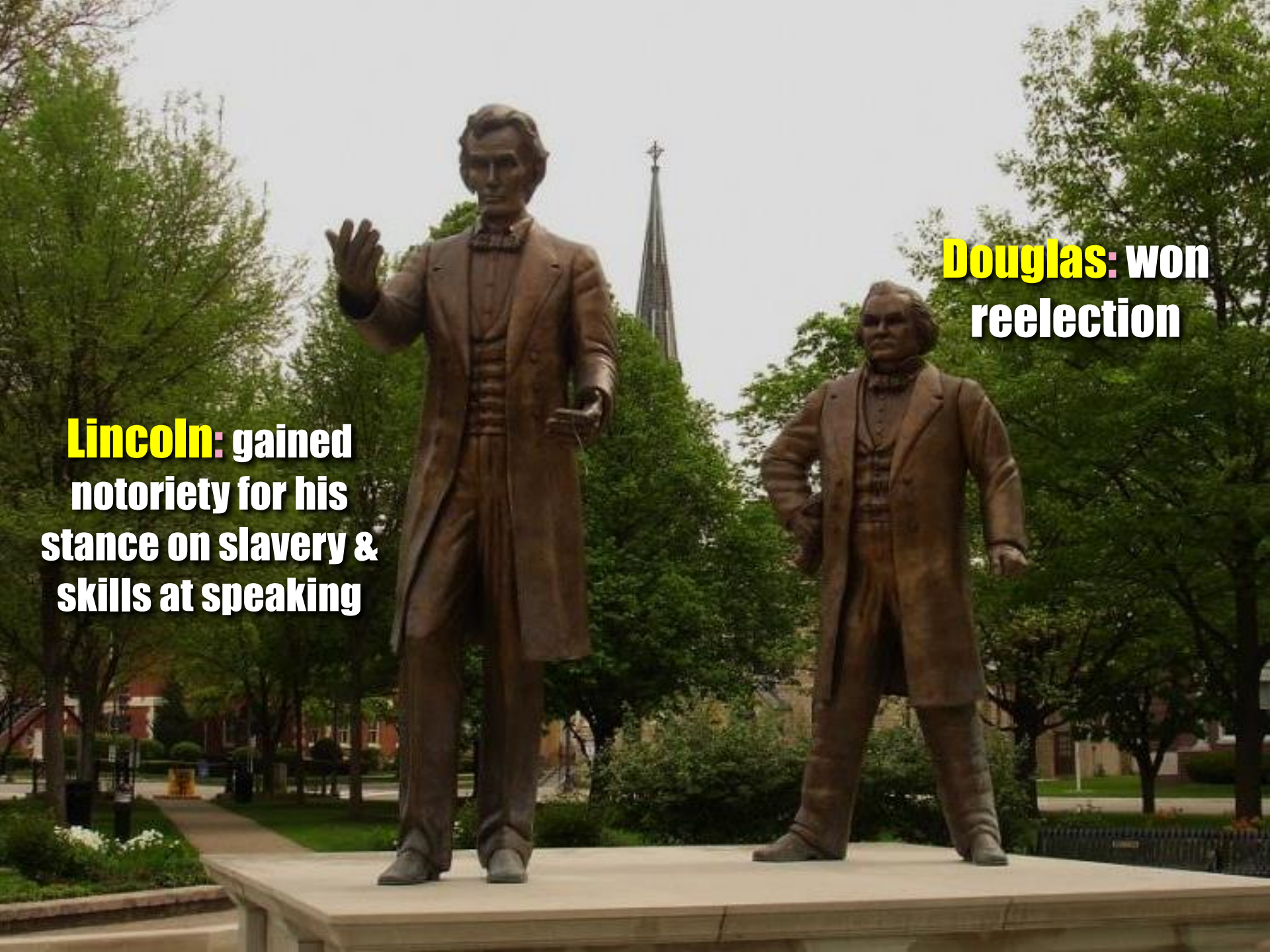
**legislation  
needs to  
stop  
the spread  
of slavery**



**Slavery is  
backward but  
not immoral**

**Popular  
sovereignty  
Can still  
decide  
slavery  
or not**



The image shows two bronze statues of prominent African American abolitionists, Frederick Douglass and Abraham Lincoln, standing side-by-side on a light-colored stone pedestal. Lincoln is on the left, dressed in a long brown coat and a bow tie, with his right hand raised in a speaking gesture. Douglass is on the right, also in a long brown coat and bow tie, with his hands on his hips. The background features a park-like setting with green trees and a church steeple visible in the distance under an overcast sky.

**Lincoln:** gained  
notoriety for his  
stance on slavery &  
skills at speaking

**Douglas:** won  
reelection

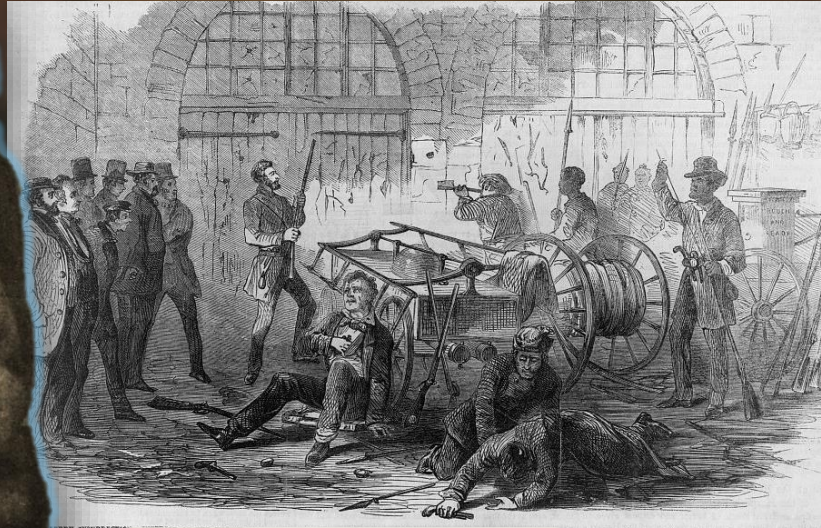


A detailed black and white engraving depicting a chaotic scene from the John Brown's Raid on Harper's Ferry. In the background, a large stone building with arched windows is visible. In the foreground, several men are engaged in a struggle. One man is lying on the ground, seemingly injured or dead, with a sword or dagger nearby. Another man is crouching over him, possibly tending to him. Several other men are standing around, some holding weapons like rifles and pistols. The scene is filled with smoke and the sounds of battle. The text "JOHN BROWNS RAID (1859)" is overlaid on the image in large, bold, yellow and blue letters.

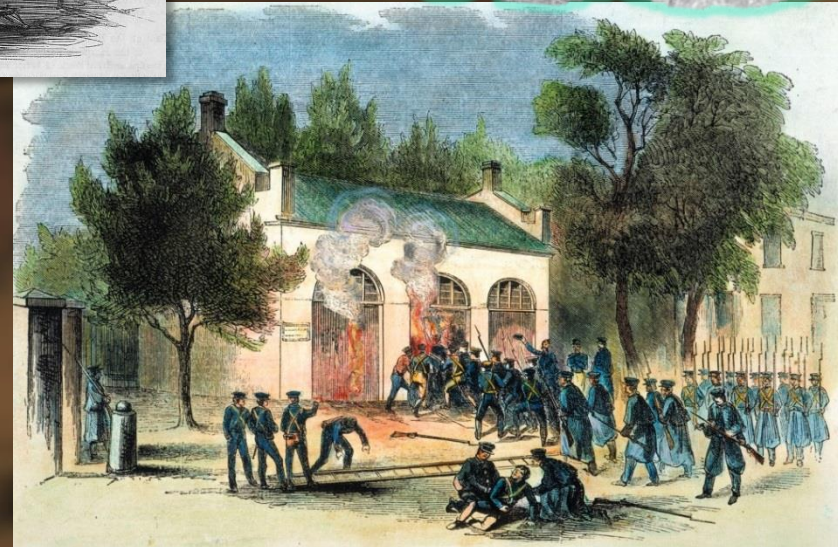
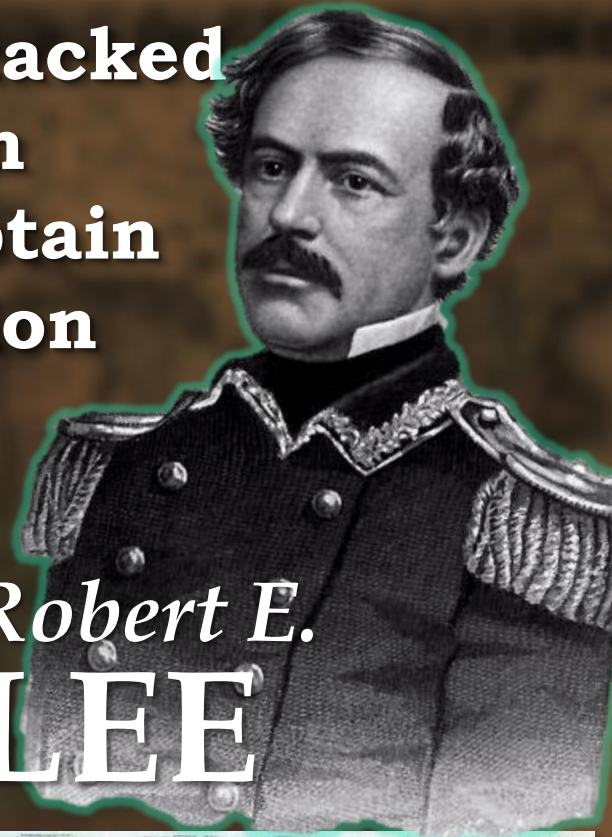
# JOHN BROWNS RAID (1859)



John Brown & 21 men attacked  
the federal arsenal in  
Harper's Ferry, VA to obtain  
guns for a slave rebellion



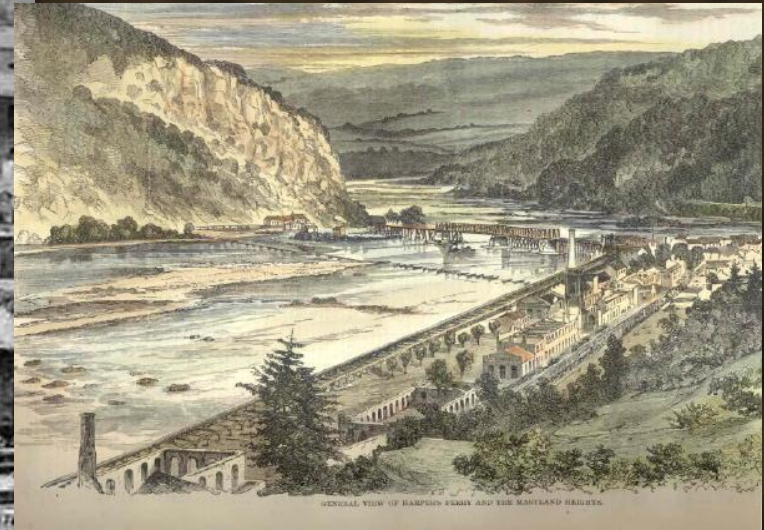
*Robert E.*  
**LEE**









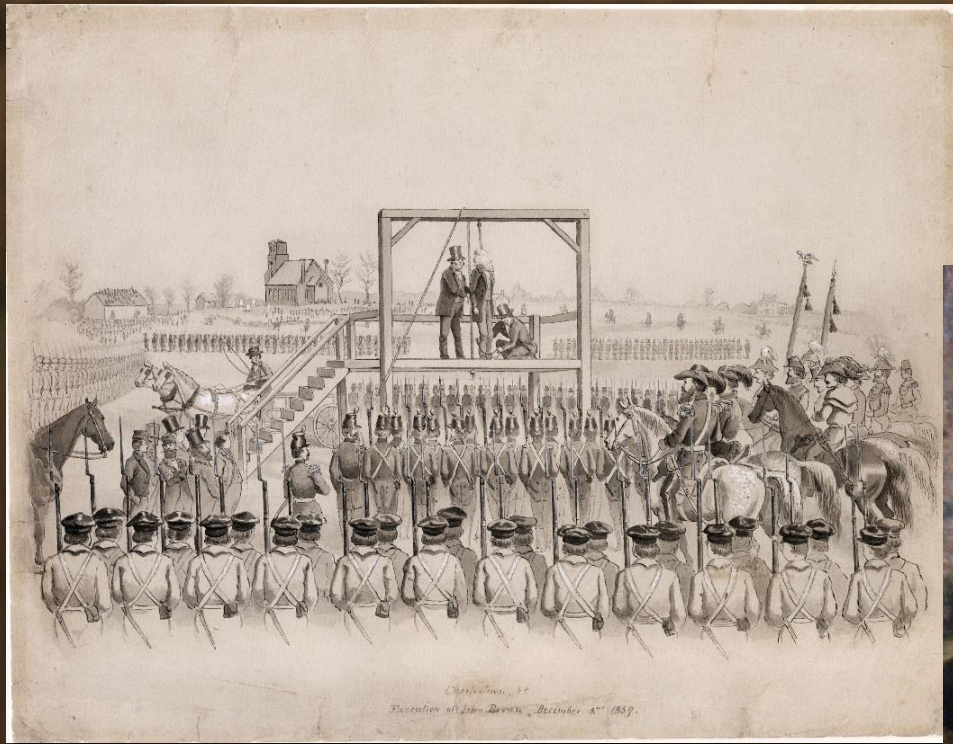








John Brown was executed  
Dec. 2, 1859 (**hanging**)



*I John Brown am now  
quite certain that the crimes of  
this guilty land will never be  
purged away, but with Blood. I  
had as I now think vainly flattered  
myself that without very  
much bloodshed it might be done.  
**Last letter written the day he was hung***







**Loved & Revered  
by the North  
Seen as martyr**

**Hated & Feared  
by the South**



*It appears to me very singular that we three should strike "out" and be "put out" while old Abe made such a "good lick". —*

*That's because he had that confounded rail, to strike with, I thought our fusion would be a "short stop" to his career.*

*I guess I'd better leave for Kentucky, for I smell something strong around here; and begin to think, that we are completely "skunk'd."*

*Gentlemen, if any of you should ever take a hand in another match at this game, remember that you must have "a good bat" and strike a "fair ball" to make a "clean score" & a "home run"*

# ELECTION OF 1860



Entered according to act of Congress in the year 1860, by Currier & Ives, in the Clerk's Office of the District Court for the Southern District of N.Y.

THE NATIONAL GAME. THREE "OUTS" AND ONE "RUN"



**Abraham Lincoln (R-IL)**

**Prohibit slavery in territories, contain slavery to where it exists**

**John Bell (C-TN)**

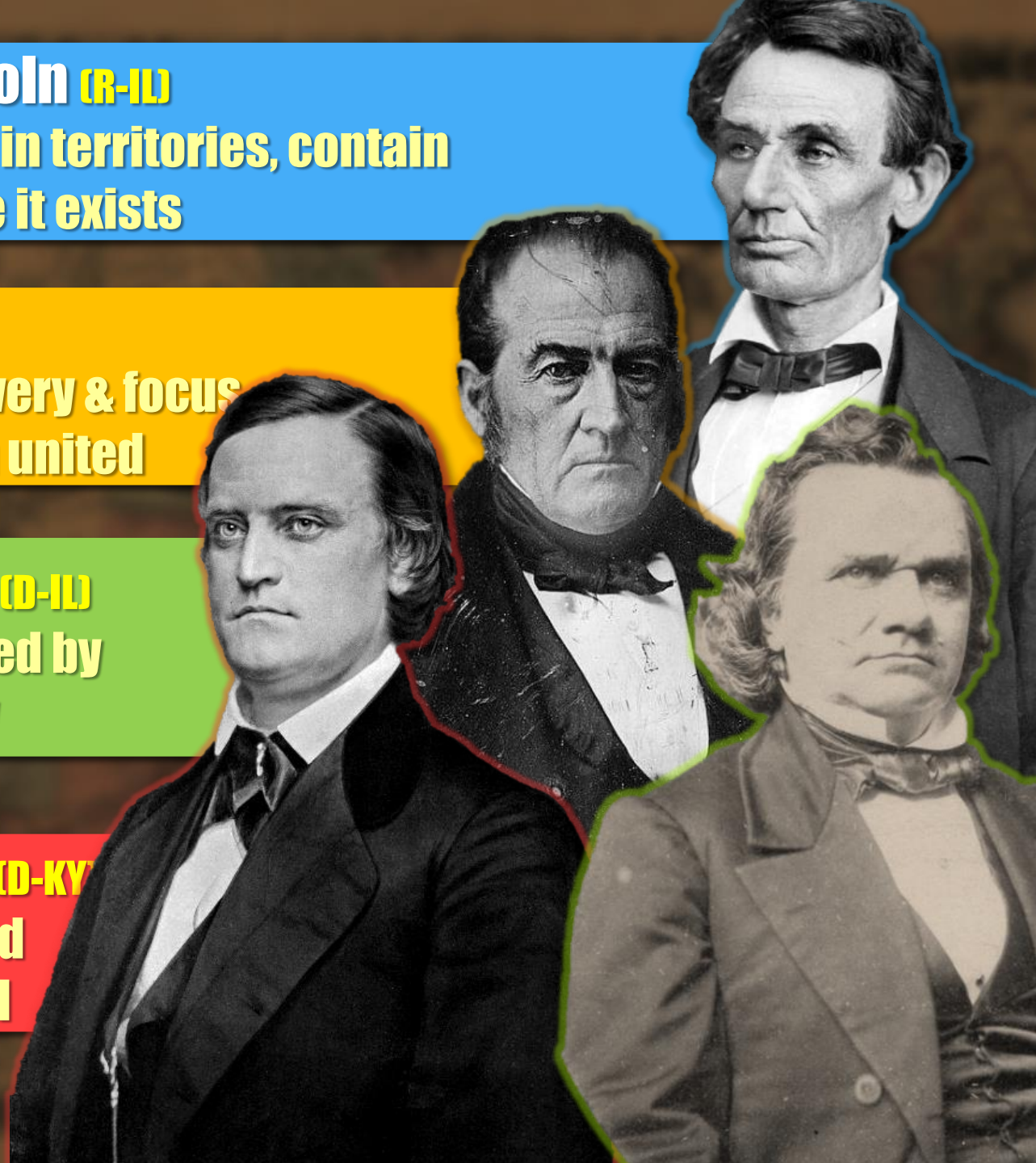
**Avoid the issue of slavery & focus on keeping the nation united**

**Stephen Douglas (D-IL)**

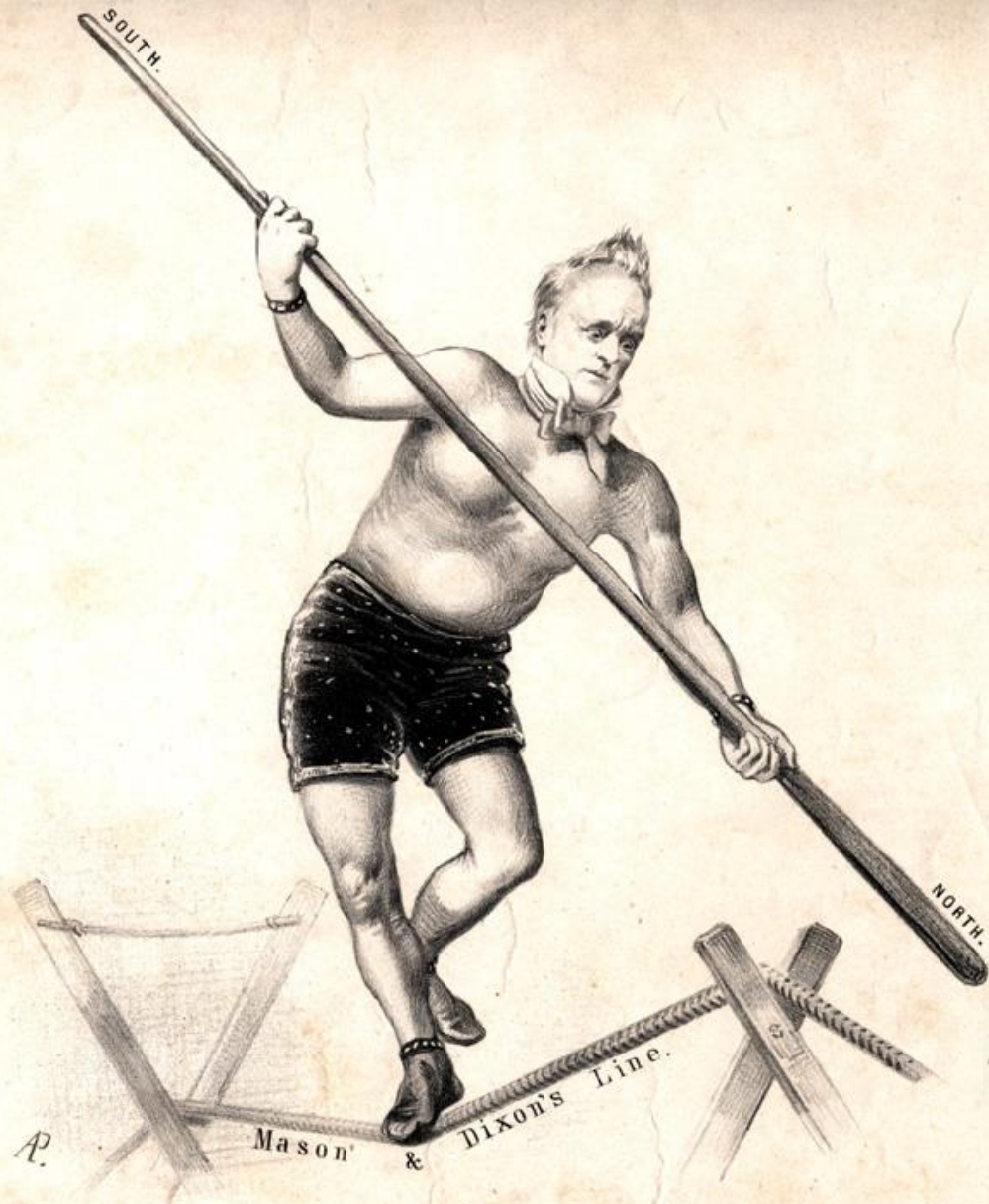
**Let slavery be decided by popular sovereignty**

**John Breckinridge (D-KY)**

**Slavery to be protected & can & should expand**





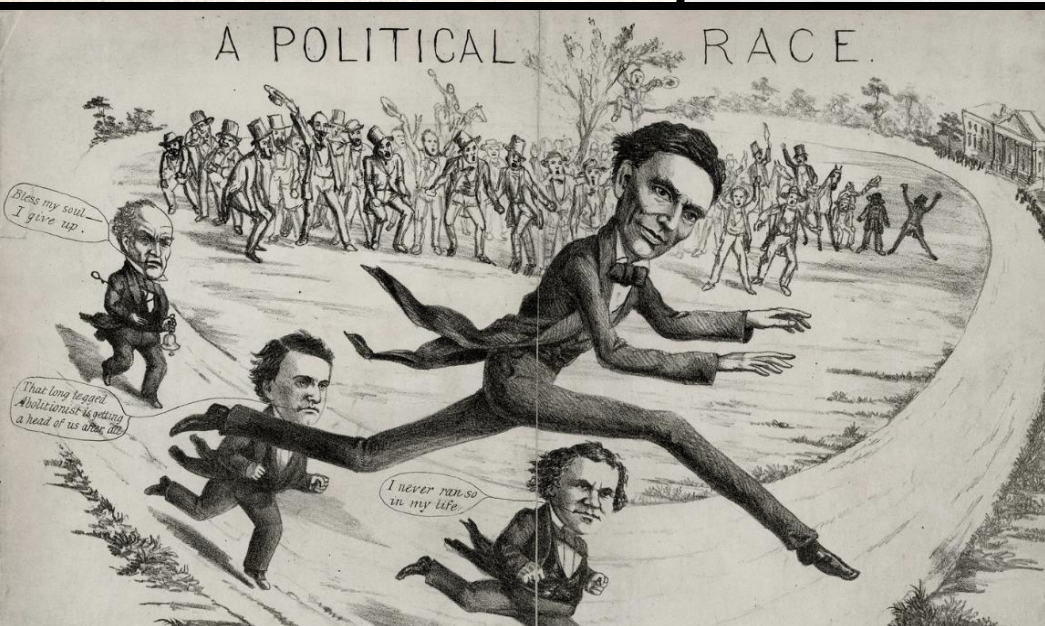
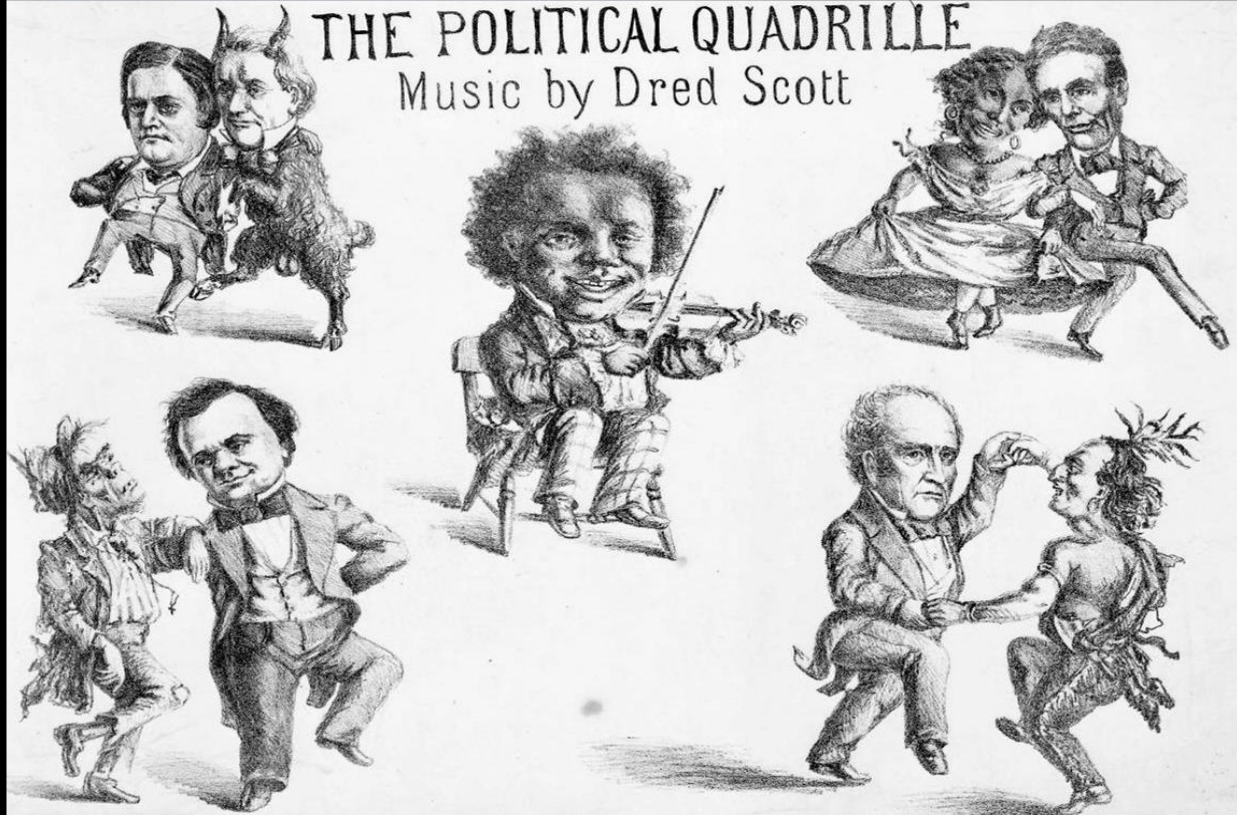


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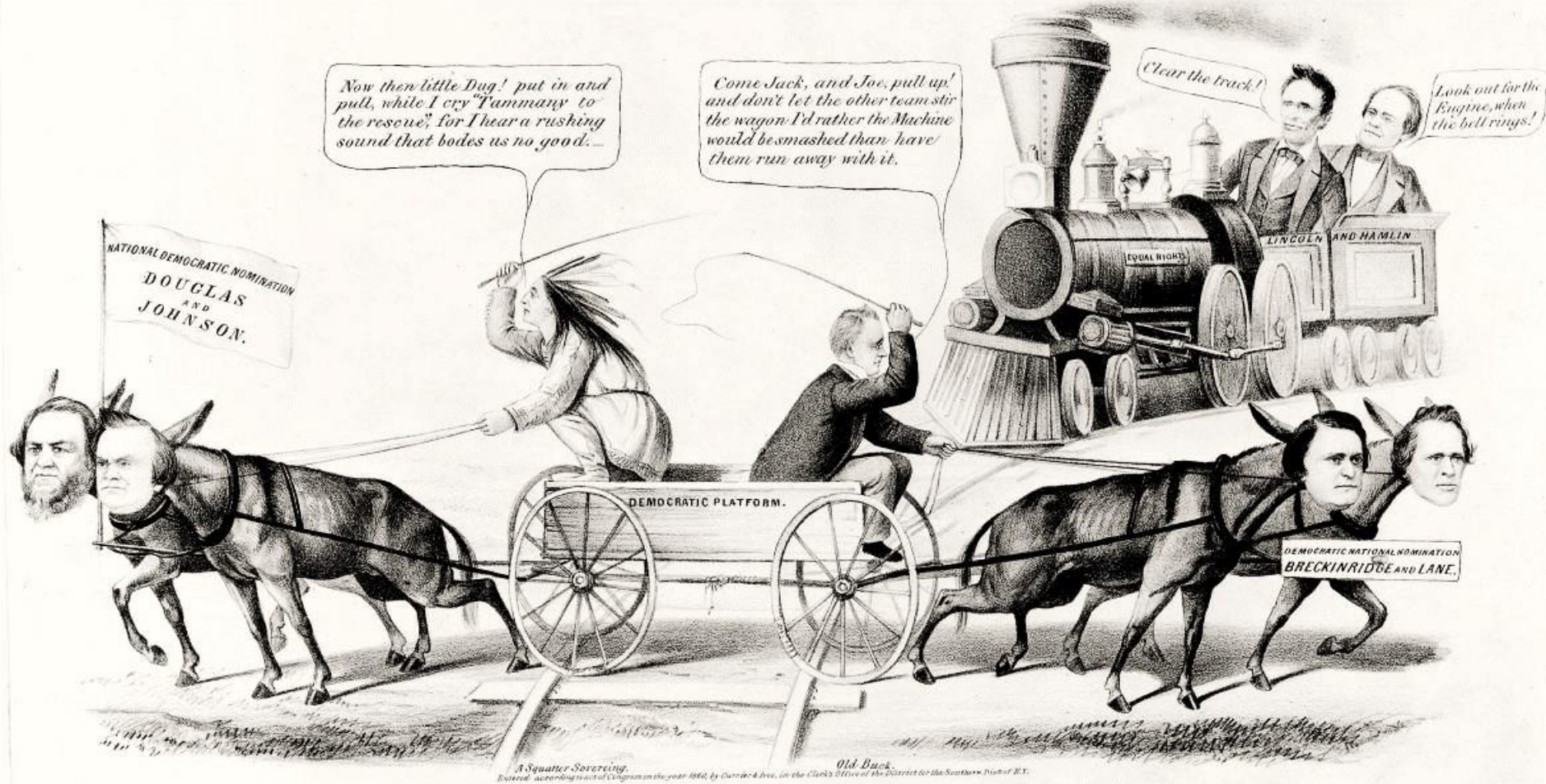




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**PROGRESSIVE DEMOCRACY - PROSPECT OF A SMASH UP.**



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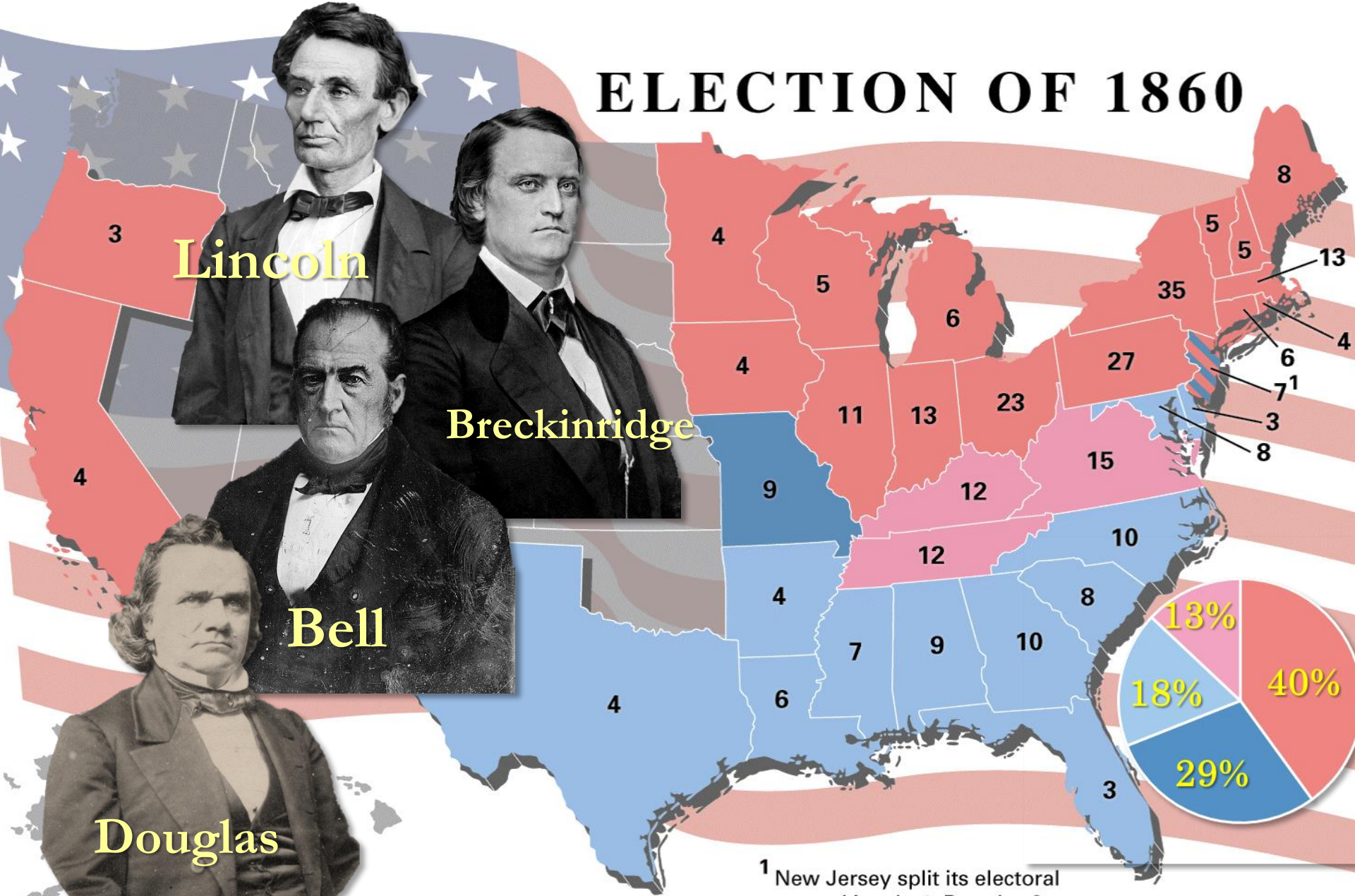
# ELECTION OF 1860

Lincoln

Breckinridge

Bell

Douglas



Lincoln (Republican)  
180 electoral votes

Breckinridge (Southern Democratic)  
72 electoral votes

Bell (Constitutional Union)  
39 electoral votes

Douglas (Democrat)  
12 electoral votes



WHOOOP-EE  
President,  
ABRAHAM LINCOLN  
Vice President,  
HANNIBAL HAMLIN  
THE MILLENIUM COME!

We have the glorious tidings to proclaim, that Lincoln and Hamlin are our next President and Vice President, by overwhelming majorities. They have carried every Free State this side of the Rocky Mountains, except, perhaps, New Jersey, where the vote is close. Douglas will probably carry "nary one!"

**—The Kansas Chief—**



## The Presidential Election.

The returns received and published yesterday left little or no doubt of the election of Abraham Lincoln to the Presidency. Today we publish enough to make it certain. The event is the most deplorable one that has happened in the history of the country. The Union may be preserved in spite of it. We think it will; but we are prepared to expect trouble. We have already one sign from South Carolina, and this may be followed by others of more serious character.

**—RICHMOND DISPATCH—**



## THE DISUNION OUTCRY

The election of Abraham Lincoln to the Presidency is the first triumph of a great political revolution. It does not mean evil to any section of the country. It is not only regular and lawful, but is necessary to restore the old spirit and policy of the country, and give peace to the land. It comes hard for those Southern extremists to be driven from power without any hope of returning to it; but they will submit to necessity and become less dangerous, for the sentiment of the Southern people will constrain them to good behavior. Mr. Lincoln will be inaugurated peacefully, and we believe confidently that his administration will reproduce the era of good feeling.

**—The Daily Spy, Mass.—**



## THE CRISIS

The election of Abraham Lincoln to the chief magistracy of the country by the hordes of fanatics and negrophilists who have been flocking to his standards since the opening of the Presidential canvass has awakened throughout the South a spirit of stubborn resistance which it will be found is impossible to quell. . . .

The crisis now impending upon the whole country is a necessary consequence of the abnormal condition into which our dearest and most sacred institutions have been plunged by the success of our avowedly unrelenting enemies. . . .

The unmistakable fact stares us in the face that we are now in a state of danger unparalleled in the annals of our history. . . . Of one thing, however, the whole South may rest assured -- that the sons of Louisiana will not remain indifferent spectators of the drama about to be enacted, and if the sword is to be drawn, they will be . . . found in the vanguard of the Southern phalanx. . . .

**—The Courier, New Orleans—**



## THE DEED'S DONE -- DISUNION THE REMEDY

The outrages which abolition fanaticism has continued year by year to heap upon the South, have at length culminated in the election of Abraham Lincoln and Hannibal Hamlin, avowed abolitionists, to the presidency and vice presidency -- both bigoted, unscrupulous and cold-blooded enemies of the peace and equality of the slaveholding states, and one of the pair strongly marked with the blood of his negro ancestry. . . . In view of the formal declaration, through the ballot box, of a purpose by the northern states to wield the vast machinery of the federal Government as now constituted, for destroying the liberties of the slaveholding states, it becomes their duty to dissolve their connection with it and establish a separate and independent government of their own.

**—The Semi-Weekly Miss. Jackson—**