

in the Pacific," alluding to the then late cession of the Sandwich Islands to the British Crown, but with which the British Government has since disclaimed all connexion, "has stirred up a spirit of resistance in this country, which plainly tells of a coming storm. *America has but one feeling towards that nation—the FEELING OF DEADLY, IRRECONCILABLE HATRED.*" While this sentiment, as indeed every other of the same tendency in his speech, is stated to have been received by the meeting with the most boisterous acclamations, and cheered to the very echo, by, at least, twenty thousand citizens present on the occasion.

The Irish, from their numbers, have become an influential body, especially in the larger cities of the Republic, and have alternately been wooed, and very often cajoled, by one or other of the contending parties for political power, whenever preceding an election. They have always ranged themselves under the ultra-democratic banner, and have lately received in turn, the addresses, the half-reluctant advances of ex-President Van Buren, of ex-President Tyler, whose son has joined the Irish Repeal standard; as also, the coy and maiden proposals of General Cass, of "right of search" notoriety: all of whom, at the commencement of this organization, had thrown out feelers, and put forward their claims to the support of the democratic interest, in sustainment of their individual pretensions to the United States' Presidency.

In like manner, ex-Governor Seward, of the state of