
SLAVE CATCHER'S FEE.—As many of those who escape from bondage appear to have resolved upon "liberty or death," it would seem to be no more than justice for Congress to alter the Fugitive Slave Law so as to secure to the Slave Commissioners the bounty awarded to those officers. They might do it by enacting that where the alledged slave was killed in the attempt to take him the bounty should be paid upon delivery of the ears, the same as in the case of fox scalps. This would secure to that worthy class of officers the consideration for which they deliberately "throw conscience to the devil."