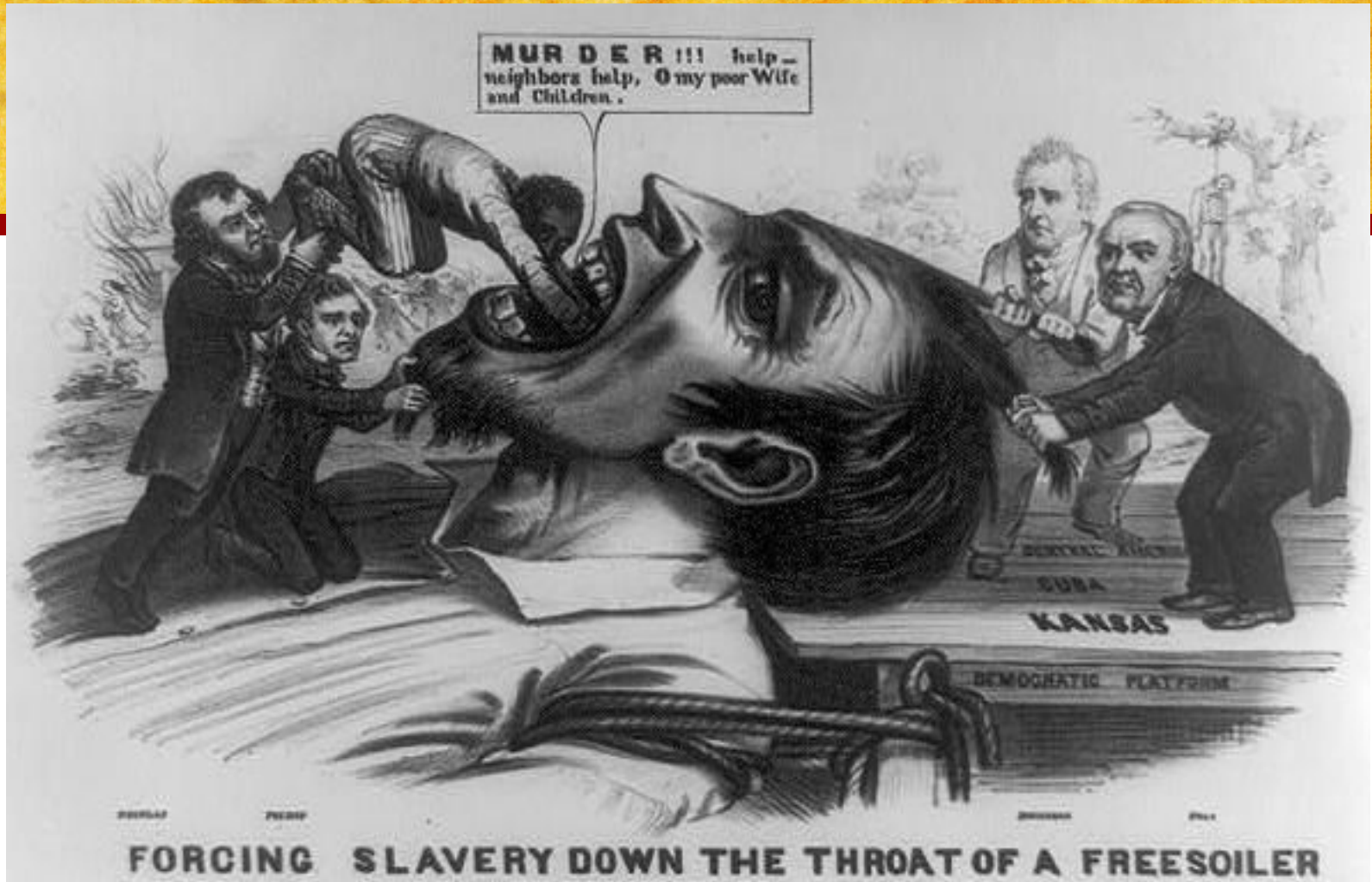



The Kansas-Nebraska Act and “Bleeding Kansas”

1854-1858





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- KANSAS NEBRASKA ACT
 - E.Q.: How did the passing of the Kansas Nebraska Act lead to violence?



- INTRODUCED BY STEPHEN DOUGLAS OF ILLINOIS.
- HE WANTS TO OPEN LAND TO BUILD A RAILROAD TO THE PACIFIC OCEAN
- IT PROPOSED THAT KANSAS AND NEBRASKA WOULD BE OPEN TO POPULAR SOVEREIGNTY WITH REGARDS TO SLAVERY.
- IT PASSED. So now it's up to people living in Kansas to decide if there territory would have slavery. (And Nebraska, but that's not relevant right now)



- WHITE VOTERS CHEATED FROM BOTH SIDES (FREE VS. SLAVE) AND FLOODED INTO KANSAS CASTING VOTES FOR THE TERRITORY.
- IT LED TO BLEEDING KANSAS. VIOLENCE BETWEEN PRO AND ANTI-SLAVERY SUPPORTERS:
- **JOHN BROWN**, AN INFAMOUS ABOLITIONIST, LED A VIOLENT ATTACK ON A PRO-SLAVERY SETTLEMENT, MURDERING 5 PEOPLE

KANSAS A FREE STATE.

Squatter Sovereignty VINDICATED!

NO WHITE SLAVERY!

The Squatters of Kansas who are favorable to FREEDOM OF SPEECH on all subjects which interest them, and an unmuzzled PRESS: who are determined to do their own THINKING and VOTING independent of FOREIGN DICTATION, are requested to assemble in

MASS MEETING

at the time and places following to wit:

The following speakers will be in attendance, who will address you on the important questions now before the people of Kansas.

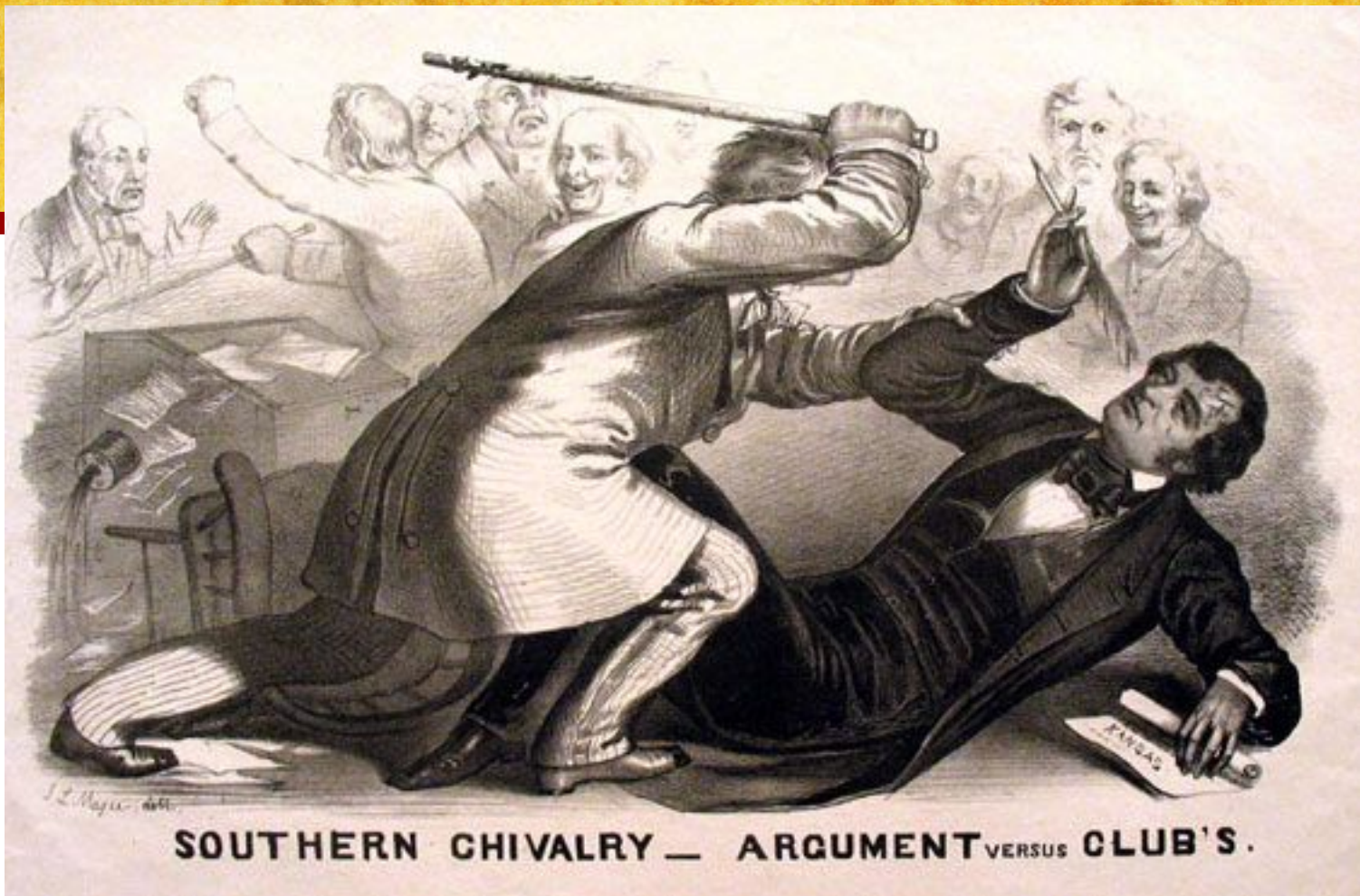
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TURN OUT AND HEAR THEM!



- VIOLENCE IN THE SENATE ALSO OCCURRED WHEN AN ANTI-SLAVERY SENATOR WAS ALMOST BEAT TO DEATH ON THE SENATE FLOOR BY A PRO-SLAVERY CONGRESSMAN.



Source: <http://www.civilwaracademy.com/images/bleeding-kansas.jpg>



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