

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES.

FEBRUARY 7, 1860.—Ordered to be printed.

AMENDMENTS intended to be proposed by Mr. SAULSBURY to the resolutions submitted by Mr. DAVIS on the 2d February, 1860.

Amend the sixth resolution by adding thereto, after the word "redress," the following: "within the limitations and restrictions of the federal Constitution."

Further amend by adding the following as the seventh resolution:

7. *Resolved*, That the Constitution of the United States having been ordained and established by the people of the several States, in order to form a more perfect union, establish justice, insure domestic tranquility, provide for the common defense, promote the general welfare, and secure the blessings of liberty to themselves and their posterity, has been eminently promotive of the objects of its formation, and that it is of infinite moment that the people of this whole country should properly estimate the immense value of their federal Union to their collective and individual happiness; that they should cherish a cordial, habitual and immovable attachment to it, accustoming themselves to think and speak of it as of the palladium of their political safety and prosperity, watching for its preservation with jealous anxiety, discountenancing whatever may suggest even a suspicion that it can in any event be abandoned, and indignantly frowning upon the first dawning of every attempt to alienate any portion of our country from the rest or to enfeeble the sacred ties which now link together the various parts.

