

which would entitle them
 to a member of the House
 of Representatives. Should
 the people accept. You can
 be early reliever and
 your work is done. If
 they reject. Your influence
 will be needed to keep
 peace and prevent an ef-
 fort to come here with a
 new and another constitu-
 tion. - I believe you can
 hold the ship steady &
 keep this question from
 becoming a dangerous
 and alarming element
 in the course of 1860

I have been the more
 urgent on this subject
 because I at the beginning
 pressed you into this service