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if his sharps rifle had not missed
fire one of the damned scamps would
been shot on the spot the pro slavery
men have tried to kill a number
of the boys in that manner but
have failed every time the boys
have not lost one man yet
noway shape nor manner but they
have had 5 skirmishes in all
they have had 3 badly wounded
one of them through the thigh
through the side and through the hand
and breast and arms this man was
shot with buck shot the two first
with balls all were fighting in
self defence. the pro slavery have
had number shot dead on the spot
and others mortally wounded
So were you be fore about
the compromise that we made
it has been had up to in good
shape in that side.