

THE SLAVE CASE IN NEW JERSEY.—It appears that the defendants in the slave case recently decided by the Supreme Court of New Jersey, were Daniel Griscom and five others, principally Friends, all of them among the most respectable inhabitants of the town of Salem. Two were Judges of the Court of Common Pleas, and one was President of the Salem Bank. Bet, a slave belonging to Mr. Calbreth of Maryland, had run away from her master in 1834, and went to Salem county. Her master had her arrested and taken into the town of Salem for the purpose of proving his property. She was there rescued by the defendants, who took her away by force. An action was brought against them for trespass, and the damages laid at \$10,000. The trial occupied eight days, during which upwards of thirty witnesses were examined, and the jury, after an hour's absence, returned a verdict of guilty against the defendants, and assessed the damages at \$1,000. The counsel for the defendants then moved a new trial, the arguments upon which are to be heard at the July term.
