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**The Senator Question.**

Nothing since the Presidential Election, has so startled the whole nation, as the defeat of the President elect, in his attempt to elevate a favorite to the U. S. Senate—and that defeat, by a Legislature of his own party. It has caused excitement every where—some lamentation, but more gratulation.

As far as we have seen and heard—at home and abroad—the Opposition are all heartily glad of the result. Even those who two years ago distrusted the reality and permanency of Gen. Cameron's alienation from the Free Trade and Pro-Slavery Democracy, are satisfied from his two years' consistent opposition to those destructive laws, and cordially approve his elevation. Every opposition paper in Pennsylvania—Republcan, American and Whig, with some Independent and Neutral—join in endorsing the election of Gen. Cameron as just, timely, and expedient.

The Philadelphia *Daily News*—the ultra Fillmore American organ, personally unfriendly to Gen. Cameron—says:

"Yet we do not hesitate to say, that we are not only entirely satisfied with the result, but that we rejoice, with all right thinking men, upon the first indication of a just retribution, which we have seen sure would follow that party which has elected its candidate for the Presidency by fraud, and which is doing so much to demoralize us as a people."

The Philadelphia *Ledger*—the most able and influential paper in Mr. Buchanan's interest—says:

"Gen. Cameron has great legislative experience, and in his hands the interests of the State will, no doubt be well sustained. Col. Forney would have made a good representative, being a man of ability and having the confidence of the party which is dominant in the State, if not in the legislative convention. According to the usages of his party he should have been the successful candidate. The following members will have a hard account to settle with their political friends. Their throwing aside their party ties and obligations, makes the position of affairs in the Legislature rather uncertain."

The Danville *Intelligencer*—for 29 years the leading, unswerving Democratic paper of Columbia and Montour counties—says:

"This exciting question—the choice of a Senator—is thus promptly put to rest, for several years. Much has been said about it in the newspapers, and in all political circles, in and out of Pennsylvania, but we refrain from going any farther than laying the facts before our readers. If now paper which of Gen. Cameron could have prevented his election, most certainly he would not have been elected. Abuse of Gen. Foster and friends, and the three Democrats who voted for Gen. Cameron, will not now affect the result. Victory without discretion, may only tend to produce other results, 1857, quite as unpleasant to the Democratic party, as this mismanaged Senatorial election."

The Harrisburg *Argus*—the Cass Democratic organ, and the recipient of the official advertising of President Pierce—says:

"We find no fault with Gen. Cameron for he was only acting on the principle of attending to his own business. He wanted to be elected U. S. Senator, no matter who was chosen, and he was successful. In all these things there is a moral, and there is a moral in the election. If men will only hold their friends up, when they need their services—and when the people do call upon a man, they always let him down; but when this rule is disregarded, defeat, disaster and discomfiture is sure to follow—thus proving the truth of the Scriptural text, that 'the race is not always to the swift, nor the battle to the strong!'

The Wilkes-Barre *Times* says, this union of the elements of opposition, augurs well for the future. The defeat of Mr. Forney is "one of the greatest moral and political victories ever achieved in Pennsylvania. It was a fatal mistake in Mr. Buchanan to nominate any man. The victory of Gen. Cameron is complete, withering—worthy a Caesar, Napoleon, or Washington."—We might make a hundred similar quotations from Opposition papers.

The Tamaqua *Gazette*—not a party paper—defends Messrs. Lebo and Waggoner from all injurious imputations, and says their course will be sustained by the great mass of business men of Schuylkill county.

The Pottsville *Emporian* (Democratic) sheds very dry tears over the result, and says the those who in that country denounce the bolting Democrats are themselves the most fishy members of the party, most of them new converts, and men who have often opposed radical nomination.

The *Miners' Journal* of Pottsville—the organ of the Coal interest—is jubilant over Cameron's election, which is celebrated in that region by public demonstrations of joy.

In Philadelphia, Pittsburg, Harrisburg, Sunbury, Pottsville, Danville, and other places, guns have been fired, illuminations, dinners, &c., prepared, and every indication of popular enthusiasm manifested.

**Pennsylvania Legislature.**  
The Governor returned with objections a bill to authorize the N. Y. & Erie Railroad Company to build branches in Susquehanna county, also several other bills with his objections—all of which were again taken up, and negatived.

Mr. Bower (Snyder) is Chairman of the House Committee on Banks.

Mr. Sellers (Junista) is Chairman of the Senate Committee on Canals.

The House Committee on the contested seat, upon examination ascertained that an election clerk in one district returned for Mr. Ramsey (Democrat) 157 votes when in fact he received but 157. Correcting this undivided error, will clear Mr. Smith (Opp.) of blame unless some other voter be discovered.

**CONGRESS.**

The Senate, by almost a strict partisan vote, ousted Mr. Harlan, Rep. Senator from Iowa, because, although elected by a majority of the Legislature, the Dem. majority in the *State Senate* refused to participate in the proceedings. This is a novel decision, and will give occasion to many revolutionary schemes.

Col. Paine of N. C., a Member of the House, having in his place stated that he had been offered \$1500 for his vote on a certain bill, a committee was appointed headed by Governors Geary and Robinson.

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**Intelligence from Kansas.**

John Cushing, who killed Wm. Norton, was tried before Judge Cato, and convicted of murder. Both were pro-slavery men. This first conviction of a pro-slavery murderer, excites much attention. If he had killed an anti-slavery man, he would doubtless have gone clear as a hundred others have.

A Convention held at Lawrence, recently, resolved to establish a college in that city. A Board of Trustees was appointed, headed by Governors Geary and Robinson.

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