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the Bradford Reporter, heartily endorsing its commendation of Hon. DAVID

WILMOT.] The Senatorial Question.

The next Legislature will be called upon to consider several matters of very grave importance, chief of which will be the election of an United States Senator.

conceived the rebellion, upon record; a Young. Wounded and missing supposed the fact that Gen. Hancock's division was sented in the Congress of the United man who has never abandoned that pro- to be dead: Corp. Barnet F. Stebbins in the fight, without giving any particu. States by Members chosen thereto at elecfrom former political associates with un- gerous." alterable resolution and unbending integ. rity; a representative man, whose name Philadelphic Inquirer : is a household word among the earnest

too careful in selecting the men who are selves to flight and to their rifle pits. for concealments is past.

Buckalew, Hughes, Wharton, Reed, deavored to reach the enemy's rifle pits, brought over the river by request.—

Buchanan, Bigler, and others not less in-but were driven back.

Franklin's loss in killed was only about designated States and parts of States, are, famous, but less notorious. Of these it The regimental colors of the gallant 5 0, so that our loss in killed is not near and henceforward shall be, free! and that and its employment in contriving new the enemy No succor could reach them. through the deep mud of the valley, was ways to embarass the government.

ture has to choose. The contest will be gle of the war and of modern times. without parallel for bitterness. Already Col. Brooke certainly merits, if any Remember the facts.

driven! Men are no longer to vote as those around him. His name has not Proclamation of Emancipation Are these bloody threats born of the new iment he has the honor to lead. spirit of democracy? If so, let us do So well did he do his duty on the pen-[We capy the following article from that, these cowardly bullies may find a tles, that General's Sumner, Richardson. Proclamation was issued by the President shorter shrift than the Old Capitol and French highly recommended him for of the United States, containing among Purchased during the recent panie and great

The importance of this election at the Dec. 22, 1862: "Partly at the request of at the War Department. Political influ- Government of the United States, includpresent time cannot be overrated. It vi- Captain Jones and also agreeable to my ence is more powerful than the most ing the Military and Naval authority tally effects the conduct of the war through own inclination I give an account of the praiseworthy deeds. He is too proud too thereof, will recognize and maintain the countenance or discountenance of the gov-killed, wounded and missing in the late noble, to enter the political arena and ask freedom of such persons, and will do no ernment, and must place Pennsylvania in battle. The killed in our company are for promotion. If his gallant deeds on act or acts to repress such pessons, or any earnest co-operation with, or in undis-Corp. Urish F. Glase, and Private Wel-the field cannot bring it, he is content to of them, in any efforts they may make for guised hostility to the efforts of all good come S. Coats. Seriously wounded John fight for the Constitution and the Union their actual freedom. men and patriots for the re-establishment G. Charles F. Parker, Charles Raples, Oscar
The friends of the government are unit.

J. Webb. Slightly wounded, Sergeant three hundred officers and men, and out tion, designate the States and parts of ed upon a single man; one who occupies Jason W. Stevens, Corp. Ww. W. Brown, of that number brought off one hundred States, if any in which the people thereof a first place among the few who have ren- Corpl A. C. Evans, Privates Myron W. and forty-five, losing over fifty per cent respectively shall then be in Rebellion dered their names historic in putting Builey, George W. Barlow, Loavitt W. of her strength. A list of the killed and against the United States; and the fact their protest against the encroachments Cushing, B. Jay Cushing, N. L. Cobb, wounded will be found below.

of the power which animates and which Dan Eastwoods Walter Scott, John H. I see your correspondents m

friends of freedom-That wan is DAVID . WILMOT.

These are times of great public peril; to lead the advance, supported by Han ments." Thus you discover that Han.

These which admonish us of the necessity cock. Accordingly, French crossed the cock was hotly engaged, and in this divi
of the power in me vested as Commanderof well considered, prompt and vigorous river first, Hancock following both divi- sion is the Fif.y-third Pennsylvania. In in Chief of the Army and Navy of the action. Every hour hath its unmistaka- sions engaged the enemy in the city, order to give you some idea of the part United States, in time of actual armed ble teaching. Every event, every devel- French drove the Rebels out on the right, this division had in the battle, it is only rebellion against the authority and Govopment, enforces a lesson of extreme cau- and Hancock on the left; and as soon as sufficient to give their losses : tion in assigning the reins of power and they found themselves from under the Offic rs and men in the division positions of influence. We cannot be cover of the houses they betook them. Officers killed

to frame laws and execute them. On the Next morning (the 13th) French's di-one hand we behold treason presenting vision, at 10½ o'clock, received the order itself, armed, earnest and undivided On to open the attack upon the enemy's batthe other a hand of sterling patriots, be- teries, and to take them by storm, if posset by plotting politicians, whose hearts sible. The division marched out in good are refuges of lies and treasonable mo-style supported by those of the gallant tives. The endeaver to speak as fair, Hancock. It was soon discovered that while they dally with the danger prepared the columns of the advancing division into the engagement only 1900 came out day in rebellion against the United States, to assasinate the liberties of the country. Were becoming rapidly decimated and whole, making a loss of 681 per cent. In the election of a Senator we have to were vascillating, the fire of the enemy choose between the representative men of was so terrific. At this juncture Hanthese classes. The latter are the open cock marched his division by the flank is not so great as the former. allies of treason. Whatever their profes- along the base of a small hill and in rear sions, whatever their protestations of loy of French; as soon as he brought his di- swered the flag of truce sent by General and Orleans, including the City of New alty, their hearts are estranged from their vision to the head of French's, the com- Lee for the burial of our dead. Whilst Orleans.), Mississippi, Alabama, Florida, country, and have been so estranged for mand to march by the left flank was given, in command of the working party engag. Georgia, South Carolina, North Carolina years. Whatever they say, they mean when the division pressed through the ed in digging the graves of their com- and Virginia, (except the forty-eight only to wreak their revenges for loss of front, through and over the shattered col rades in battle, Rebel officers gathered counties designated as West Virginia, national glory. Between the man put umns of French's division, to the top of round and entered into conversation with and also the countries of Berkeley, Accoforward by such men and DAVID WILthe small hill just back of town. Here each other. The Colonel heard them ac umae, Northampton, Elizabeth City, York,
Mor the country cannot hesitate to they men and Norfolk, including the choose. They will put forward no new Rebel muskerty and artillery, but on they our troops, and one of them was heard to cities of Norfolk ank Portmouth,) and and untried man They will take pains moved beneath a shower of lead. Soon, remark that if ever those men had which excepted parts are, for the present, to leave no doubt as to their motives in however, the column began to waver, the' reached the crest of the hill there would left precisely as if this Proclamation were their selection of a candidate. The time they had gone beyond the first advance have been no such thing as standing not issued. many yards. Some of the brigades halted, against them. Against us we have arrayed such men and returned the enemy's fire; others ed. The number buried was 913, and five purpose aforesaid, I do order and declare

Is p. esumable that Buckalew will be se- Fifty-third Penn'a, led by its indomitable so large as was at first supposed. The the Executive Government of the United lected and go before the Legislature as a Colonel. John R Brooke, nobly aided by official report of killed, wounded and mis. States, including the Military and Naval candidate for Senatorial honors. He is Major Bull and acting Adjutant Lieut, sing, will not exceed 10,000 in the grand Authorities thereof, will recognize and entitled to the precedence in every con- Anderson, was seen to move forward to total. ceivable perticular. The particular friend within fifty yards of the notorious stone and upholder of Franklin Pierce and wall, which had become a sheet of living James Buchanau, and a stipendiary of flame, belching the leaden missiles of death Halleck good news from Arkansas. He violence, unless in necessary self defense; the latter under cover of a South Ameri and destruction to these approaching says that the Army of the Frontier, un and I recommend to them that in all eacan mission; the ardent and noisy defen- Here the regiment halted by order of the der Gens. Blunt and Herron, moved over ses, when allowed, they labor faithfully der of Stringfellow and Atchison in their Colonel, and returned volley for volley. In the Boston Mountains on Saturday a for reasonable wages. brutal outrages in Kansas; the bold and a very short time their ammunition was week, and advanced without halting to unblushing apologist for and advocate of exhausted, and it was found impossible Van Buren. They drove the enemy the Lecompton villainy-this man is pe to relieve the regiment. After firing their across the Arkansas River, killed and culiarly fitted for, and entitled to, the suf-rixty rounds each, those who were left wounded a few, and took three steamfrages of that portion of the democratic deliberately took the remaining cartridges boats, some camp equipments, and 100 sitions, stations, and other places, and to party which finds its period of exultation out of the boxes of their unfortunate com- prisoners. The march of 45 miles with man vessels of all sorts in said service. coincident with some reverse of our arms, rades who had fallen and used them again t arms and service, over the mountains and

The Sixty-first and Sixty-fourth New a most gallant and arduous affair. Mr. Buckalew is not without a species York Volunteers pressed forward to withof ability, but it is ability of a peculiar in one hundred yards of where they stood, wort : of that kind which has best recom- but could not reach them. They, howmended men to the notice and patronage ever, supported most nobly the Spartans organized by the late reverse at Frederof democratic Presidents, and to the cau- who were then holding their position at icksburg. A correspondence of the Phil- set my hand and caused the seal of the ous and conventional honors dispensed by a charge bayonet. Whilst in this posi- adelphia Inquirer says: democratio politicians. He is cool, crafty tion the Colonel discovered a Rebel regiand politic. Cool, because an utter strau- ment approaching his flank. Cool and or be led to believe, that our army is at ger to the finer emotions of the heart discreet under all circumstances, he de-present in a dreadfully disorganized conwhich impart a kind of impulsive energy liberately, though his men had fired their dition, on account of the recent repulse to the character. Crafty, and politic, be- last round, ordered the empty muskets to This is not so. Our men are just as fit cause with him the greatest good is the be brought to bear upon the approaching and as eager again for another conflict as eggrandizement of himself and the down column, which was within forty yards of they were one week ago. Of course, fall of every obstacle which takes root in him. The Rebels, seeing the movement, they do not desire to be led against the conscience. He has few friends, in the and supposing that deadly fire would be batteries, because they are impregnable; batter acceptation of the term, but many poured into them, fell in love with the they want to meet the enemy in an open admirers and hosts of imitators. What principle "that he who fights and runs field, or where there is a chance to win ever a man may become when he has ful- away will live to fight another day,"made with equal forces. ly subjected his moral nature to the dom- | g od use of their logs and disappeared

worse, neither abler nor weaker than many position at a charge bayonet for the unprof his compeers, he is still the most available of all, because to unscrupulous firing a shot. The 61st and 64th New mess he joins that species of cunning which often atous for a lack of foresight their rear, and for two or three hours and high intellectual qualities.

In affect, it is between such a man and the same position, nor were they relieved till the sable mantle of night. The same position at a charge bayonet for the unposition a DAVID WILMOT that the next Legisla- closed in upon the most sangninary strug- formly oppose every, such movement.

the democratic prints denounce assassi | man does reward at the hands of his nation upon any member who shall leave country non-his Government-for his ro. Ill, refuse to go back into Seceshdom. the line of party to cast a vote for a loyal manly bearing and soldier like conduct on They say they were forced to fight at man. Not only this, but they threaten the field of battle. Napoleon would have first, and would rather die than return. a like fate to the man who shall be elect made him a Marshall on the field long Two hundred of them are Germans, and ed by such patty treason to party. It is ago for his skill and bravery. In thirteen nearly all want to fight for Liberty and time that this dragooning of members of pitched battles, besides numerous trifling Union. the Legislature was checked. To this engagements, he has led his regiment, | Col. Thomas Welch of Columbia Pa. fearful alternative are these desperate men and yet there is none to do him honor save has been made a Brigadier General.

conscience and their official caths shall been thrown to the breeze as it deserves. dictate, except under menace of assassin- He is one of Pennsylvania's noblest sons; ation! Is this the new freedom promised one of whom she may justly be proud, by this remnant of the democratic party? and not only proud of him but of the reg-

Prison and the cath of allegiance. If promotion. At Antietam he led the bri. other things the following, to wit : they choose to inaugurate the era of the gade, and fully showed that he was not pistol and the dagger, very well. But only brave and daring to a fault, but that the Year of our Lord One Thousand let them remember the fate of Robes he possessed every requisition for the Eight Hundred and Sixty three, all perpierre, of Murat, and of Guy Fawkes. command of a brigade or division. His sons held as Slaves within any State, or Heroism of the 58d Penn'a.

The following letter is from Sergeant and they again presented his name among the United States, the people where of the United States, the people and they again presented his name among the United States, shall be thenceforword Arthur B Mann, dated Falmouth, Va. the deserving, and as yet he is unnoticed and foreever free.

cost for a day, but who ou the contrary, and Henry Muttison. Reuben French lars. Gen. Couch, a man of soul, who, tions wherein a majority of the qualified has withstood menace and persecution wounded seriously, none considered dan- when he saw the decimated ranks of his voters of such State shall have participat-The following letter we copy from the him, and, while the tears ran down his tervailing testimony, be deemed conclucheeks, dictated the following message to sive evidence that such State and the OPPOSITE FREDERICKSBURG, Dec 19 Gen Burnside: "Send the ammun tion people thereof are not then in Rebellion -When the battle of Fredericksturg was to the Lacy House Hancock and French against the United States."

Officers wounded

OUR ARMY.-All accounts agree in representing our army as in no wise dis- God.

"Many persons would naturally believe,

ocratic shirks and Secessionists as uni-

Three hundred Rebel prisoners at Cai-

BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA-A PROCLAMA-TION.

Whereas, on the twenty-second day of September, in the year of our Lord one ight and see the worst. If it comes to insula, in the memorable seven days' bat- thousand eight hundred and six-two, a

"That on the First Day of January, in

wounded will be found below.

I see your correspondents merely note shall on that day be in good faith reprecommand, turned to the signal officer with ed, shall, in the absence of strong coun-

ernment of the United States, and as a 5368 fit and necessary war measure for sup-pressing said Rebellion, do, on this first day of January, in the year of our Lord NAILS. 3438 3573 one thousand eight hundred and sixtythree, and in accordance with my purpose Addstragglers who returned to camp 105 period of one handred days from the day first above-mentioned, order and desig-1900 nate as States and parts of States wherein Out of 5368 officers and men that went | the people thereof, respectively, are this to wit: Arkansas, Texas, Louisiana, French's Division lost 2745 in killed, (except Parishes of St. Bernard, Plagewounded and missing, but the proportion mines, Jefferson, St. John, St. Charles, to their satisfaction, giving better Goods for St. James, Ascension, Assumption, Terre Colonel Brooke, of the Fifty third, an Bonne, Lafourche, St. Marie, St. Martin, less MONEY than can be had at any other

> And by virtue of the power and for the maintain the freedom of said persons.

And I hereby enjoin upon the people Gen. Curtis briefly reports to Gen. so declared to be free, to abstain from all Paints Oils.

And I further declare and make known that such persons, of suitable condition. will be received into the armed service of the United States, to garrison forts, po-And, upon this act, sincerely believed

to be an act of justice, warrented by the Constitution, upon military necessity, 1 Vials and Lamp-Globes. CANDOR PLOWS, invoke the considerate judgment of mankind and the gracious favor of Almighty

In testimony where of I have hereunto United States to be affixed.

Done at the City of Washington, this first day of January, in the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty-three, and of the Independence of the United States of America the Eighty-seventh.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN. By the President-WM. H. SEWARD, Secretary of State.

Under the excitement, false accusations, and involuntary depression arising from the failure to carry the Fredericks-The Judges of the Supreme Court of burg heights, Secretaries Seward and ination of an ambition which scruples at behind the stone all as soon as possible. Connecticut have decided that the law to Chase, week before last, offered the resignothing that stands in its way, Mr. Buckalew has become. Neither better nor could not reach them. They held their tional. It seems rather hard that the He took time to consider—ndvised the Cabinet is on the whole advisable.

> Ex Gov. Hicks, of Maryland has been appointed U. S. Senator from that State, vice Pearse, deceased.

The President has signed the bill ad mitting West Virginia into the Union as a State.

Gen. Butler has been removed from the command at New Orleans. Gen. Banks takes his place.

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