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The result of the Government election in the District of Columbia. Should it be considered that the result is attributable to the political position of my career in the late Congress, such an impression would be erroneous.

It is true there was much clamor in relation to my opposition to the 25th Rule of the late House of Representatives; but I have no reason to believe that any person voted against me on that ground alone. I have been known on this occasion, because Mr. Cary, whose views in relation to the propriety of receiving Abolition petitions were similar to my own, not only received a large majority of the votes of the District in November, but failed to meet with any opposition on that ground; because some who differed with me as to the propriety of my vote were among my warmest supporters in the late Congress; and because many of my most active opponents had previously expressed their concurrence in my views.

My votes against the Annexation of Texas and my political speeches likewise, were approved as far as I could ascertain, by all the Whigs, constituting as they do, a large majority of the District. The result of the election therefore, cannot be regarded as a reflection of the people against me on any of these grounds. Still less is it attributable to my denial of my personal popularity, for I have at this time a larger number of personal friends in the District, than at any former period; friends who would have secured my election if they had supposed it endangered; friends who in a few weeks would have given me a majority of thousands over my competitor.

Mr. Graham, knowing that he had two years since been defeated in a regular contest, and being aware that he was weaker in this District now than formerly, felt that a contest in the usual mode would avail him nothing. He therefore began about the first of July to move through the District quietly, avoiding the Courts where he knew that I would probably be found. To those individuals on whom he could rely fully, (principally of the Democratic party,) he, I hear, made intimations to that effect, and in readiness for his coming out, while publicly he declared that he would not run as a candidate. Hence, certain of the Democratic leaders that he might calculate confidently on the entire support of their party, which in a former contest had been divided between us, as the personal predilections of the members prompted them to do. He also learned that several prominent individuals not opposed to me politically or even personally, would for reasons well understood here, give him an active support.

When, at length, a period of time was left hardly sufficient to enable him to disseminate his charges against me throughout the District, but too short to afford an opportunity for their refutation, he sent out a large number of letters to the different counties, filled with unfounded allegations against me. These were carried around by his deputies, and read at public places. The great part of the community were astounded at the magnitude of charges made. For instance, it was asserted all over the District that I was in favor of liberating all the slaves and leaving them in the country to molest the white inhabitants. The active agents carefully avoided making any statement to the unsuspecting of my own as really plain, well knowing that such an explanation would be a refutation of the charges they were making against me. The Democratic leaders were too cautious to declare publicly that they were opposed to me, on account of my active exertions in support of the Whig cause, both in and out of Congress. But they pretended that their opposition to me arose from the belief that I was favorable to the Abolitionists, and they expressed much alarm lest their property should be taken from them, and the safety of their families endangered. By this means they were able to influence many Whigs to vote against me. My opponent seeing that there would not be time for explanation or refutation, threw out a number of other false charges so petty that they were escalated to live only for a week or two. Mr. Graham himself, having in former years acquired a character for probity and veracity, professedly lavished it away in a few days, not hesitating to asseverate any falsity that was likely to induce any of his former friends to adhere to him.

Many of these were not aware of the secret combination, supposing that there must be some foundation for so much excitement, were carried along by the current. Hundreds of honest men were led away, who if the facts had been known to them, would have spurned the idea of supporting my competitor. There are men however, who justified his conduct upon the principle that his cause was the only one that gave him a chance of success. Justice demands that it should be stated that several Democrats refused to vote for a renegade Whig, alleging by their conduct that they preferred honesty and fair dealing to mere party success. Where the efforts of my adversaries were witnessed, my friends not supposing that they were systematic throughout the District, did not feel any apprehension as to the result generally, made less exertion than they would otherwise have been able to do, even to the short time allowed.

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