

SHANNON VS. PIERCE.

Here is sport,—here are combatants well matched. Ex-Governor Shannon, through seven weary columns of the St. Clairsville Gazette, addresses the "American Public," displaying the contemptible littleness of his character in every paragraph, and arrays Frank Pierce upon the charge of 'treachery.' The Ex-Governor accounts for his removal from the fact that Pierce is "under the influence of the Free Soilers." The Ex-Governor also complains that he has been accused of drunkenness, and refers to *Sheriff Jones* as one who will testify to his upright habits while in Kansas! O! what a hero is Willsing Shanning!
