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HARTFORD, OHIO COUNTY, KY.

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OUR COUNTRY'S DANGER.

The most distressing suffering is the consequence of Turkey's horrible devilitry towards the Herzegovinian Christians, who are being butchered as so many brutes, and their headless bodies left on the streets for dogs, or thrown into the rivers as food for fishes, and a *Christian* world stands by and permits this deed of horror perpetrated upon a people who profess the religion of Christ. As to our government, it is engaged in a work of wonderful consanguinity—that of butchering and anihilating the birth-right of the people, American liberty, and time is too precious to waste in deeds of mercy abroad. The administration, wrapped in its sordid selfishness, and crazed by its desire to plunge the country into a war with Spain to further the plans of Grants third term scheme, while the people are mystified, and their thoughts drawn from the real object of cunning villainy, will mature their plans, and the usurper again mount the throne for a third term, and then good bye to Constitutional liberty—though only the shadow of the original now remains—and the military dictator will trample the sacred document under his feet while he dons the insignia of royalty and flaunts his prerogative in the face of a deluded and cheated nation, and their eyes will be opened only to see the iron fetters firmly riveted by a servile army of the offscourings of all countries. Such has been the tendency of events since Grant's first term of office, and every year has shown his idea of military consolidation, until the brazen idol only awaits the maturity of his deep laid conspiracy to seat himself upon the ruins of a Republic, and amid the glitter of jewels and rascally nobility, look serenely down upon the wreck of a nation that once rejoiced in the proud title of Nature's noblemen.

GEN. BABCOCK AND CROOKED WHISKY.

Gen. BABCOCK, President GRANT's right bower, is getting very uneasy about the connecting of his name with the St. Louis crooked whisky ring, and wants a military court appointed to whitewash him. This is calculated to confirm people in the opinion that he is guilty. If innocent, why not go to St. Louis and put himself up as a witness in the next trial which occurs on the 15th inst., or demand of the grand jury an investigation, a return of an indictment against him, or a failure to find such an indictment. This would show some sincerity, and would be in keeping with his solemn declaration of innocence. The telegrams between him and JOYCE and others look very suspicious, and will be hard to explain away. In fact, it looks as though he was the head man of the ring.

XLIV CONGRESS.

The present Congress is composed of three hundred and ninety-six members. Seventy-four Senators and two hundred and ninety-two Representatives. In the senate there are forty-three Republicans, twenty-eight Democrats and two Independents, and one seat to be contested.

The House has one hundred and seventy-four Democrats, one hundred and seven Republicans, ten Independents, and one to be elected.

The nine Territories send one Delegate each, composed of three Democrats, four Republicans and two Independents.

There will be twenty-two contested seats in the House of Representatives—eighteen by Democrats and four by Republicans.

CONGRESSIONAL NEWS.

In the Democratic caucus held at Washington, D. C., on last Saturday night, the following nominations were made:

For Speaker—Hon. M. C. Kerr, of Indiana.

For Clerk—Hon. Matt. Adams, of Kentucky.

For Sergeant-at-Arms—John G. Thompson, of Ohio.

For Door-keeper—L. H. Fitzhugh, of Texas.

For Post-master—James Stuart, of Virginia.

For Chaplain—Rev. J. L. Townsend, of Washington.

A Democratic nomination is equivalent to an election, and we have no doubt but all these nominees have been elected ere this. This is the first Democratic speaker elected in eighteen years, James L. Orr, of South Carolina, being the last.

HON. CHAS. O'CONNOR, the great lawyer of New York, is still alive, but no hope for his recovery.

CROOKED WHISKY.

Chief Clerk Avery was found guilty at St. Louis on 2nd inst. One by one the ring are convicted and marched off to the Penitentiary. We guess it will be Babcock's time next, as the developments every day continue to throw suspicion upon him. On the same day Tate and Weimer were found guilty at Milwaukie.

A special to the Chicago *Times*, Dec. 1, connects ex-Senator Matt. H. Carpenter with the crooked.

If we could have had a Bristow as Secretary years ago, millions of revenue that has been embezzled and stolen might have been applied to our national indebtedness, and our tax burthen diminished considerably.

CONGRESSIONAL NOMINATION.

The Democratic convention in the fourth Tennessee district nominated Hon. H. T. Riddle of Wilson county, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Mr. Fite. The convention was held on the 3d inst.

There seems to be a fatality hanging over the successful candidate in this district. In the fall of 1874 Hon. J. M. Head was nominated by the Democracy and elected. He soon died, and at a special election Hon. Mr. Fite was elected, Mr. Riddle being one of his contestants for the Democratic nomination. Mr. Fite died and there were eight contestants before the convention that nominated Mr. Riddle. It seems that the fatality has no terror for the office seekers of the district. As a nomination is equivalent to an election, we will soon have a "Riddle" in Congress; but it remains to be seen whether any one there can solve this Riddle.

OUR namesake, Judge Barrett of New York city, has shown himself to be a firm, sensible and fair judge, by his action in the Scannell murder trial. Scannell was acquitted of the murder of Donahue, upon the grounds of insanity, and Judge Barrett immediately ordered him to be taken and confined in the Auburn Asylum. Scannell's friends were not expecting anything of the kind, and his attorney, Mr. Beach, protested; but the judge said, as he had been acquitted of murder by the jury upon the grounds of insanity, he was an insane criminal.

There is hope for New York yet.

IT seems that Judge Laird, of the Indiana district that embraces Bloomington, is after the order of our McManama. In the case of the State against Pete Wehrner for murder, he required the State to elect which one of the counts they would try upon, and ruled out all the others. The jury were unable to agree, nine being for conviction. Judge Laird, on his own motion, sent the case to Lawrence county, on a change of venue. Prof. C. F. McNutt was aiding in the prosecution, and he told the Judge plainly that he was partial to the defence and unfriendly to the State, in all his rulings in the case.

A MILITARY commission have been appointed to white wash Babcock, but it will do no good. President Grant has said to Bristow, "Let no guilty man escape," and Bristow proposes to carry out this programme. Attorney General Pierrepont has telegraphed to St. Louis, giving notice of the military court of inquiry, but directs that the civil court go on with its investigation. A special dispatch from Washington to the *Courier-Journal* says, the indictment against Babcock has been found and will be made public in a day or so.

"Boss" TWEED has escaped from Ludlow street jail in New York, and no trace of him can be found. Warden Dunham took him to see his family and allowed him a private interview with his wife, and after waiting for some time he called for him to come out, but he was not there. It is reported that he left in a steamer. Sheriff Conner and Warden Dunham are liable to a fine of $1.000 and one year's imprisonment, each, for their neglect, and if Tweed is not forthcoming they will, no doubt, and ought to receive the punishment.

THE Government, by the St. Louis whisky frauds, has been swindled to a fearful extent. Distillers, government officials, and agents were all together in this infamous traffic, and though some little thieves have been convicted, the greater, who sun themselves in close proximity to the White House, will doubtless escape. Such is American justice.—The big thieves swallow the little ones, and thus shield their own crime.

FROM California dispatches of the 2nd inst., we learn that the brig Lucy Ann, with lumber from Pugent sound, is stranded at San Buenaventuxa. She is a total wreck, the crew were saved.

The bark Atalanta has been lost on Destruction island, near where the Pacific foundered. Two of the crew were lost.

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James H. Taylor's, Admr., pltff, against James H. Taylor's heirs, dfts. } Equity.

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July 14, 1875. 28n3m

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Cecilian Junction at		11:25 a. m.
Grayson Springs at		12:25 p. m.
Leitchfield at		12:37 "
Millwood at	(Dinner)	1:15 "
Beaver Dam at		2:55 "
Rockport at		3:20 "
Owensboro Junction at		3:45 "
Greenville		4:10 "
Nortonville Junction at		5:20 "
Paducah at		9:00 "

The up train for Louisville leaves Paducah daily except Sunday at 4 a. m. and arrives at

Nortonville Junction at		7:40 a. m.
Greenville at		8:55 "
Owensboro Junction at		9:15 "
Rockport at		9:45 "
Beaver Dam at		10:55 "
Leichfield at		12:10 p. m.
Grayson Springs		12:25 "
Big Clifty at	(Dinner)	12:45 "
Cecilian Junction at		1:15 "
Louisville at		4:35 "

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Cecilian Junction at	8:49 p m
Leitchfield at	9:35 "
Caneyville at	10:05 "
Beaver Dam at	11:05 "
Rockport at	11:30 "
Owensboro Junction at	11:55 "
Greenville at	12:15 "
Nortonville	1:05 a m
Paducah at	4:45 "

Northern Express.

Leaves Paducah at 9:40 p m and arrives at

Nortonville at	1:45 a m
Greenville at	2:40 "
Owensboro Junction at	3:00 "
Beaver Dam at	3:45 "
Caneyville at	4:50 "
Leitchfield	5:18 "
Cecilian Junction at	6:20 "
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MAIL.

Leaves		Arrives.
Owensboro at	6.00 a m	8 00 p m
Sutherland's	6.28 "	7.35 "
Crow's	6 36 "	7.27 "
Lewis'	6.48 "	7.16 "
Riley's	7.00 "	7.05 "
Tichenor's	7.10 "	6.55 "
Livermore D.	7.20 "	6.45 "
Livermore	7.25 "	6.40 "
Island	7.37 "	6.29 "
Stroud's	7 48 "	6.17 "
S. Carrollton	8.08 "	5.57 "
L.P.&S.W.Cros'g	8.20 "	5.45 "
L.P.&S.W.Dep.	8.25 "	5.40 "

ACCOMMODATION.

Leaves		Arrives
Owensboro at	2.00 p m	12.00 a m
Sutherland's	2.30 "	11.24 "
Crow's	2.48 "	11.14 "
Lewis'	3.02 "	11.00 "
Riley's	3.16 "	10.46 "
Tichenor's	3 38 "	10.22 "
Livermore D.	3.44 "	10.18 "
Livermore	3 49 "	10.13 "
Island	4.02 "	9.58 "
Stroud's	4 17 "	9.44 "
S. Carrollton	4.40 "	9.20 "
L.P.&S.W.Cr'g	4.55 "	9.05 "
L.P.&S.W.Dep.	5.00 "	9.00 "

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July 14, 1875. 28n3m

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Oct. 20th, 1875.