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 THE STRUGGLE FOR A PRESID EN.
TIAL NOMINATION. The Ohio man is in the field for a nomination to the presidency.
He has always been a lucky man in polities. Thurman was tendered the office of interstate commissioner, but declined. John
Sherman bis placed bimself on the track for a presidential nomination from the Republican party. The Ohio man is strong in
politics. Witaess the good forpolitics. Witaess the good for-
tune of Hayes, Garfield, Grant, and in earlier times, Harrison. It is often said that Virginis is the mother of presidents. But Ohio
bids fair to take the lead. Virbids fair to take the lead. Vir-
ginia cradled Washington, Jefferson, Monroe, Madison and later up, she is one ahead of Ohio, although Tyler was an acoident and not s fortunate one by any means. If Sherman should get the Republican nomination and should be elected, Ohio would be even in the presidential race.
Stranger things have happened chan that John Sherman should re nation. Sherman is an adroit politician, and he has the advantage of a very good political record.
The additional advantage is that his brother, Gen. W. T. Sherman a nominal Democrat, who has de clared over and over again that he would not accept any politica nomination, is working quietly for John. The former bas great influence. He has abundant leisure Moreover, he has found an acceptable place. He did not like Wash ington or St. Louis. But he like politicians. Suppose this influ New York is enteugh to carry Republican convention?-and tha personal influence, esn carry Obio the chances then for his nomina tion would be good.
This is the possible new phase Blaine's political nose is to be put out of joint, only that he has a form loomed up in Ohio and elsewhere and is to make a determined effor for the nomination. He was the cago when Garfield received the nomination. The latter ssid "What will Sherman think of me?" Garfield bad worked long and late for Sherman and had not been
successful. The latter for some reason would not take the highes office in the cabinet under Gar-
field. If the nomination were to be made to-day by the Republicans, Blaine would almost certnin ly win. No one can tell wha next few months. But to-day there are just two Republican These are Blaine and Sherman The Ohio man has the tradition of luck on his side, and the Maine man has the reputation of an inde dates may loom up in the Republiesn field. The "dark horse" turbing element.
At this date the Democrats have no very prominent candidate, or rather, they have not brought for ward any one who attracts muct attention, unless it masy be Presiof Pennsylvania, Carlisle of Kep tucky, and Hoadly of Ohio, who has become a citizen of New York. not appear to be aiming high than a seat in the abing higher would fit him just about as well $\stackrel{\text { as a }}{ }$
It does not appear that ex-govYork ostensibly to practice law, going out of politics. In short, he appears to be much inclined to kindle a fresh fire in the politioal furnace. The ex-governer is going furnace. The ex-governor is going
naturai inference is that the latter
is going to stand by Hoadl going to stand by Hoadly. TuEs steamer Uimbria has broken and Sandy Hook. She left Liverool at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of May 28th, passed out of Queens town harbor at 1:04 o'clook May 29th, anchored off bar Sandy
Hook at $12: 43$ last Monday afternoon, thus making the run from and two minutes. The weather ria made the best record beretofore in six days five hours and France appropriates $81,627,500$ year in maintaining vast borsebreeding establishments chiefly to reoruit her army horse. This sum Was reduced last year to 81,348 , the same purpose Austris-Hungary spends $\$ 1,000,000$ a year and royal breeding establishments, be sides which there are fifteen other
depots maintained at a corresponding cost.
Ex-Gov. HoadLy writes that he cannot consent" to the use of hi
name as a candidate for the va oancy on the supreme bencb, and expresses his hope and belief that the appointment will go south, to
some Democratio lawyer who be ieves that the constitution is in riting and means what it says." Minneapous, with 50,000 Scan inavians, has a larger Scandina vian population than any other
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