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July 3^d heavenurstw.

Mr Eads. I am in re^{pt} of your
last date not now remembered.

I learn from the Senior Ewing
who is on visit here — looking
after a fine farm near to Indian-
ola, which he is making —

That Ohio's politics is very mixed.

It is certain the old "Salt Boiler"
is mixed in his feelings respecting
political affairs. If I understand
the case rightly, he has come
in his conservatism. Apropos of
this do not run, if your chances
for a defeat are good. This is not
a lesson from my Experience,
the fact being that my defeat has
not on the whole ^{been} damaging to me.

No move has yet been made in our
Congressional path. That is more beyond
my ordinary correspondence & recent
conversations. I have been in heaven-
=worth since my return steadily
with the exception of a few days
on Osawatimie trip. If I should be
a candidate for Congress, it is pretty
certain, that my interests —