

[Special despatches to the Louisville Courier]

Further from Kansas.

Near Leecompton, Kansas, Aug 16.

FRIENDS OF LAW AND ORDER!

The Abolitionists came on us this morning about daylight, and have whipped and taken prisoners our men. Leecompton is taken, and is deserted by the women and children. Gen Lane's men are about 500 strong. The United States troops have also been whipped. Will you come to our rescue before we are all murdered? We are out of powder, lead, and every kind of ammunition. Our friends are now stationed at Sheriff Jones's house, as many as can, and they will fight to the last. Will you help us! If so, come at once! Unless we get help we will all be murdered.

The foregoing is reliable.

(Signed,) D R AMMONSON, Wm H Russell,
Joe C Anderson, and A G BOOK.

Still Later.

Monday Morning, Aug 18, 10 o'clock.

Messrs William H Russell, T Hinkle, and Joe C Anderson, have just arrived from Kansas to urge our citizens to go immediately to the rescue of our friends in Kansas. They confirm the above, and say that things are worse even than represented, and that 300 men must go up on Wednesday, Aug 20th.

Wm H Russell writes to his friends at Lexington as follows:

INDIAN SPRING, Mo., Aug 16th, 1850

Gen Wm Swift and W H Waddell:

GENTS—Mr Rodrigue's Express has just arrived, bringing intelligence of the attack to-day on Col Titus's house, near Leecompton, and the probable murder of the entire party. There were thirty men in the house, and as it was surrounded by at least 400 abolitionists, there is no possibility of the escape of a single man.

Another portion of the Abolition forces attacked the house of Gen G W Clarke, Indian Agent, about two hours after the destruction of Col Titus's house, and while the express was leaving the roar of the cannon was distinctly heard. Lane is in the field. Jones they declare they will hang. Leecompton has fallen ere this, and Robinson and the other prisoners indicted for treason, have no doubt been rescued. Col Titus's house is only one mile from Leecompton.

Respectfully, yours,

W H RUSSELL.

The Latest from Kansas.

St Louis, Aug 20

We have very little additional news from Kansas to-day. Leecompton is not yet taken by Lane's men, but is defended by citizens and United States troops. Several companies of volunteers from the border counties were ready to march on the 19th into Kansas.

There exists great excitement all along the Missouri river.