



LAWRENCEBURGH.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 14, 1826.

The Indianapolis Journal, of the 3d inst. contains a statement of the result of the Congressional election, in the first district, taken from the office of the Secretary of State; from which it appears Mr. Blake is elected, by a majority of 21 votes. The number of votes given to each candidate, throughout the district, was, for Blake 5223, Boon 5202, Shuler 1636.

The same paper gives the result of the election in this district, as returned to the Secretary's office, with the exception of the county of Henry, from which no return had been received. Mr. Smith's majority, as here given, is 1059 over Mr. Test.

Counties.	SMITH	TEST
Randolph	182	103
Switzerland	455	421
Ripley	150	449
Union	428	446
Allen	10	101
Decatur	397	168
Franklin	402	710
Dearborn	1290	734
Wayne	956	1517
Rush	611	166
Fayette	334	187
Henry	210	144
	6905	4946

Mr. Haile, who was elected in Mississippi to fill the vacancy, in Congress, of Mr. Rankin, deceased, has, at another election, been elected, by a majority of 1000 votes, to represent that state in the twentieth Congress.

Election in Ohio.—The election in this state took place on Tuesday last. The Crisis & Empirism of the 11th inst. contains a statement of the polls in Hamilton county, so far as known.

For Congress.—David Morris 471 votes
James Findley 441
Thomas Morris 121

The Editors of the Crisis think David Morris is elected.

For State Senator.—Sam'l M'Henry 273
Stephen Wood 195

For Governor.—Gen. Allen Trimble, received a large majority of the votes.

A man by the name of Philip Lewis is to be executed at Cincinnati, on the 10th Nov'r, for the murder of Thomas Isdell. At the late term of the circuit court in this county, an unusual number of criminal convictions took place; none of which, however, extended to the life of the culprits. Three persons are now confined in our jail awaiting an escort to the penitentiary; one of whom, Daniel Jackson, an old offender, was sent there not long since from this county, but managed to make his escape before his time was out, came back and stole a horse, and now returns for ten years, with the addition of double his unexpired time.

Mummoth Productions.—The editors of the Butler Pa. Repository, inform their readers, that a Mr. Hagerty, has left at their office a *Bean pod* measuring two feet four inches in length! This surely is a prodigy for the soil of that country, and will no doubt, *Stamp* the whole editorial fraternity to find a match for it any where in that region—but it will not do in this country. The editor recollects to have seen a bean pod, when travelling through the southern part of Kentucky, which measured upwards of three feet; and was assured by the person, in whose possession it was, that had not an unlucky gust of wind thrown the pole down, up which the bean vine grew, it would have been much longer; as it was growing in full vigor when the accident happened. This bean was very likely of the same species, with Mr. Hagerty's, but much improved by climate and soil.

The Murfreesboro' N. C. Intelligencer, triumphantly states, that a Mr. Griffith, of Hartford county, has raised a squash this season measuring five feet three inches in circumference, and weighing seventy pounds! It is very probable, were we to make the enquiry among our farmers, that we should find an equal to this squash of squashes;

at the same time, however, we are well aware of the difficulty we would have to encounter in determining pumpkins from squashes—the latter, when planted in our river bottoms, always growing to such an enormous size as to preclude such a distinction. We take no notice of the puff in the same paper, about corn,—asserting that one grain produced five large stalks—as every body knows we live right in the Miami Bottom, where corn grows to any size, shape, or dimension, within the conception of a North Carolinian.

The fight.—Among the various incidents, which occurred during the sitting of the Circuit Court in this place, none have engendered so much talk, speculation, and enquiry, as the squabble, on Saturday last, between counsellor Lane, of the one part, and counsellor Howard, and the Assistant Clerk, of the other part. We were not present on this occasion, therefore cannot give the particulars, which led those *p. ops* of the law, to try issues in so singular a manner. It may suffice, without committing ourselves, to say, that owing to the interposition of some peaceable persons, very little, if any, blood was spilt by the belligerents. Some have the temerity to assert that it would have been impossible, by the most pungent application to the head, to have drawn forth any of that *resuscitating* fluid, as on the first onset it made a precipitate retreat to a more secure and impenetrable part of the body. Be this as it may, the parties appear to have entirely recovered their faculties, and are now as fresh coloured, and well, to all appearance, as though nothing had happened. Thus happily terminated, this heroic deed might have been lost in the shades of chaos, had not the parties been recognized in the sum of fifty dollars, with security, to appear at the next court, to answer such things as may be required of them touching that matter.

MURDER OF DR. BROWN.

The Kentucky Commentator gives the following details of this horrid transaction. Doctor PRESTON W. BROWN was shot by Randall W. Smith on Friday the 22nd of last month, at the house of Mr. Christopher, the father-in-law of Smith, in Jefferson county. Dr. Brown had a farm about sixteen miles below Louisville and in the vicinity of Mr. Christopher, at whose house he lodged when on a visit to his farm. A misunderstanding existed between Smith and Christopher, and so inveterate was the hostility of the former that it extended to all who were the friends and associates of Christopher. On Thursday evening preceding the murder when Dr. Brown came in from his farm, Smith was also present, & having drunk some whiskey became abusive to the family. The Doctor remonstrated with him, which only seemed to add to his abuse, he left the room. He went away and attempted to borrow a rifle, as he said to shoot the Doctor, but failed. Next morning, by some means, he obtained a large Pistol, loaded it with slugs and concealed it under his great coat. About 7 o'clock he came to Christopher's while Doctor Brown was at breakfast and told him he wanted satisfaction. The Doctor replied, deferring the matter until he was done breakfast and went out of the breakfast room, when a scuffle ensued between him and Smith; the noise of which brought Christopher out, who found the doctor thrown back upon the bed by Smith. He seized Smith by the arms and pulled him out of the door backwards and held him some time. Dr. Brown went out and tried to pacify Smith, Christopher then loosed his hold on him, when he instantaneously drew the pistol cocked from his coat pocket, discharged it at the Doctor—Christopher standing near him. Eight slugs entered Brown's side, one of which passed through his body; one struck Christopher's knee and another passed through his thigh. Christopher fell but the Doctor pursued Smith until he made his escape through a cornfield. He was sensible of his situation, observed his wounds were mortal, walked about the yard and attempted to ride home, but soon fainted and was taken from his horse. He was carried into a house, where he endured his sufferings with much fortitude until about two o'clock next morning and expired!

Smith remained a short time in the neighborhood (fearing he had killed his father-in-law,) exulting at the wound he had inflicted on Brown, and then crossed over to the Indiana shore. On Saturday morning he hallooed across the river, asking if the damned rascal was dead,—(alluding to Brown) if not he would come over and kill him. He was not taken at our latest accounts.

By a letter from Warren County we are informed a duel was fought near Duncan's Well in this state, on the morn-

ing of the 28th ult. by Gen. Samuel Houston and Gen. Robert White of Tennessee. The latter fell at the first fire, supposed to be mortally wounded, but was alive when last heard from. The quarrel grew out of the appointment of John P. Erwin Post Master at Nashville &c. Ky. Argus.

LEXINGTON, OCTOBER 6.
It is stated in the Danville Olive Branch, that a Robert Cashey 82 years of age, was on the 12th ult. found dead in Greene county by Malcom Worley aged 25 years who has made his escape; no circumstances which led to the murder are mentioned—Gazette.

We are just informed, that the whole of the negroes who were on board the boat on the 10th ult. when the murder noticed in our last was committed, have been taken, and the money they carried off recovered. They are lodged in the jail of Breckenridge county for trial. lb.

New Jersey.—A meeting of the Delegates for the different counties of New Jersey was held at Trenton, on the 20th ult. for the purpose of forming a Congressional ticket to be supported at the election in October; as the delegates would not agree to support one set of men, the meeting divided, and formed two tickets, as follows:—

ADAMS TICKET.
*Dr. Samuel Swan of Somerset.
Dr. Isaac Pierson, of Essex.
Dr. Hedge Thompson of Salem.
*Mr. Lewis Condit of Morris.
*Ebenezer Lucken, Esq. of Burlington.
*Dr. George Holcombe of Monmouth.

JACKSON TICKET.
*George Cassidy Esq. of Bergen.
Wm Kennedy, Esq. of Sussex.
Gen Isaac H. Farlee of Hunterdon.
Benj. B. Cooper Esq. of Gloucester.
*Daniel Garrison Esq. of Salem.
Dr. George Holcomb, of Monmouth.
Those marked thus [*] are old members.
Dr. Holcombe of Monmouth, it appears, was claimed by both parties.

Our readers no doubt remember the dreadful catastrophe of the sinking of the steam boat (the Comet) on the Clyde, nearly twelve months ago; the late English papers inform us that the person who contracted to raise her, succeeded in hauling her up on the beach on the 23d July. It is stated that £730 in money was recovered, £632 12s. of which were in Mr. Rollo's bag; £75 in the pipe's chest; the captain's money £15, and the balance in small sums. The notes were wet, but not materially changed. Several papers of value, leases, &c. were found in a good state of preservation. The vessel was a complete wreck; a considerable quantity of boxes were found in the steerage, but there was such a mass of mud and rubbish in the place that it was impossible to say how many bodies there might be. The jacket of a very young boy was picked up, enclosing the ribs only, and no other part was visible. The body of a female was found on the quarter deck, so decayed that the dress only identified it to be that of a Miss McIntosh. The copper boilers had collapsed in a surprising manner, and are useless as boilers. The sudden condensation of the steam, it was supposed, had procured vacuum, and the pressure of the surrounding water on the outside caused the effect. A variety of articles, a sword, a silver teapot, baskets, parcels of wearing apparel, pocket books &c. had been picked up in the cabin. A number of bottles, supposed to have contained whiskey, were full, but the spirit was invariably changed for liquid of a bitter taste. It is a remarkable fact, that the body of a female which floated from the wreck, and supposed to be that of a cook maid, was in a better state of preservation than any other that had been found; and it had been freely asserted that she was in a state of intoxication at the time the accident happened. The work of the contractor, Mr. Brown, was finished on the 24th of July.—Norfolk Herald.

The Creek Indians.—The following is a clear (and apparently a candid) statement of the result of the late General Assembly of the Creek Indians at Broken Arrow, on the Georgia frontier:

"The Indian Council at Broken Arrow broke up on the 5th instant, after a sitting of about three weeks. The principal object of this Council was the distribution of part of the money arising from the sale of lands under the late treaty—which distribution was left to the control of the Council.

The men of the McIntosh party, we are told, were not allowed any part of it, but that their women and children received an equal share with those of the other party. The share allotted to the Chiefs and their Cherokee Secretaries, we understand, was much less than what they had appropriated to themselves at the time of the forming of the new treaty. The McIntosh party are to be paid 100,000 dollars, on the 23d inst. which was allowed them by the provisions of the new treaty. The number of this party who have signified their intention to emigrate is about 900. A deputation of their body, accompanied by their Agent, Colonel Brearly, start in a few days to explore the country beyond the Mississippi, and select a place for their future residence. The conduct of the chiefs at Washington, last Winter, underwent an investigation, par-

ticularly that of their leader, Opoethla Yoholo, who made a lengthy speech in defence, which is spoken of by those who heard it as a masterpiece of Indian eloquence. The investigation was amicably concluded, and he permitted to retain his former authority.

A deputation was sent by the Council to prevent the Surveyors from proceeding in their duties, but with instructions, it is said, not to use any force towards them."

Large cattle.—A steer and a heifer, twins raised at Clidithro, O. seven years old last spring, are of uncommon size. The steer weighed 2996 lbs. at the public scales—the heifer was thought to be as heavy as the steer within 200 lbs, but not sufficiently docile to be accurately measured and weighed. The steer is 10 feet 10 inches in the girth of the thickest part of his body.

DIED.—On Sunday last, at her residence in Lawrenceburgh township, LYDIA DAVISON.

We trust her spirit has gone to the celestial arms of bliss, where the venomous tongue of slander gets no admittance. [Communicated]

A LIST OF LETTERS.

Remaining in the Post Office in Lawrenceburgh, Indiana, on the 30th September, 1826; which if not taken out within three months, will be sent to the General Post Office as dead letters.

- A—Andrew Anderson, John Armstrong.
- B—John Back, Joel & Abi Beach, Robert Blackmore, Jane Bartholomew, Obediah Baby.
- C—Hiram Cloud, Gustavus A. Cline, John Cox, John B. Chisman, William Cloud, Mary Campbell.
- D—James Dill, Jane Day.
- F—Joseph Fugate 2, Sheldon Fairbanks.
- G—Wm. Gibson, Michael Gary, Dr. Isaac Gibson.
- H—John Haines, Wm. Huchings, Absolam Hart, James Hamilton, Elias Hernon, Dennis Holden.
- I—David Heerd.
- L—Moses Lindley 2, John Livingston, Cyrus Mills, Lawrenceburgh Library.
- M—Casper Michae, David M'Kirkick, Wm. K. Miller, Henry Miller 2, Isaac Miller, Thomas Mcelford 2, John Miller, Isaac Morgan, John M'Gahan, Benj. Miles, John M'Kee, Wm. Marshall.
- N—B. S. Noble, John Neil, Hamel Neil.
- O—John Ooley, Sam'l Osgood, Edward O'Conner.
- P—Wm. S. Perdue, John Pettis.
- R—Crine Roland, John Robinson, A. H. Reed.
- S—George Scuttle, John Swann, John Snell, George Sharon, Robert Slater, Wm. Seibert.
- V—Wm. C. Vanhonten, Sam'l C. Vance 2.
- W—Melaukton Wicks, James Walden, John Watson, Isaac Wickersham, Elizabeth Winters.

I. DUNN, p. m.

By a late arrangement, the Western mail will arrive at this place on Sunday & Tuesday evenings, and depart next morning. No alteration in the Eastern mail: it arrives and departs, west, on Tuesday and Thursday, 1 o'clock, p. m.

ONE CENT REWARD.

Runaway from the subscriber in Loughry Township on the 16 of September last, a young man named Charles, aged 17 years, a s. y. some months procured her indenture, which she carried off. All persons are forewarned from trusting or harboring her on my account, as I shall enforce the law against any who may do either.

ROBERT WALKER.
Loughry Township, Oct 7, 1826

CAUTION.

Whereas my wife Elizabeth, has left my bed and board with out any just cause or provocation; this is to forewarn all persons from harboring or trusting her on my account, as I shall not be bound to pay any debts of her contracting after this date.

JAMES CALLIHAN, sr
October 11, 1826.

ADMINISTRATORS' SALE AND NOTICE.

PUBLIC notice is hereby given, that we have taken out letters of administration on the estate of J. Mes Hartpence, late of Dea born county, deceased, and that we shall expose to sale at public vendue on Monday the 30th day of this present month, at the late residence of the deceased, all the personal effects belonging to said estate, consisting of a wagon and gears, horse, cart, sheep, hogs, ploughs, and household furniture of various descriptions. The terms will be made known on the day of sale. We further notify all persons holding claims against the estate to bring them forward properly authenticated for settlement; and those indebted to the estate are requested to make immediate arrangements for settling the same. The aforesaid estate will be simply solvent.

JAMES H. HARTPENCE, } Adm'rs
JOHN KILGORE, }
October 2, 1826

TAKEN UP

BY Isaac Wickersham, of Logan township, Dearborn county, Indiana, on Monday the 4th instant, a BROWN MARE, supposed to be sixteen years old, shod all round, branded on her left shoulder F, a blaze face, a small white spot on each side of her neck; no other brands perceivable. Appraised to fifteen dollars by Calvin B. Minton and Francis B. West, this 14th day of September 1826.

JOHN GODLEY, J. P.

NOTICE.

THE undersigned, holders of lots in the town of New Haven, county of Dearborn, and state of Indiana, will apply to the Board of county Surveyors at their session on the first Monday in November next, for an entire vacation of all the streets, lanes, and alleys as laid out and recorded on the plat or plan of said town, except Main street and Potter street; at which time those concerned may attend.

ENOCH SQUIBB,
JOHN BARRICKLOW.
Sept. 11, 1826.

CINCINNATI WHOLESALE PRICE CURRENT.

(CORRECTED WEEKLY.)

ARTICLES.	From	To
Ashes, pearl	ton	90 00 100 00
Allum	lb	7 0
Apples	bush	25 50
Bees' wax	lb	26 27
Bottles, porter	gr	12 00 00
Candles, dipped	lb	9 10
mould		11 12h
Castor beans	bush	1 00
Castings, assorted	ton	60 00 00
Cider	bbl	1 00 00
Cigars, American	1000	87h 1 50
Spanish		10 00 12 00
Coffee, W. I. green, best lb		18h 19
St. Domingo		17 17h
Cotton		8 9h
Feathers, live	lb	24 25
Cotton yarn No. 5 to 10		30 35
Fish—Mackerel, No. 1 bbl		9 10
No. 2 7 75 3 No. 3 86 50		7
Cod, dry	box	3 50
Shad	bbl	14 00 16
Flaxseed	bush	37h
Flour, superfine	bbl	2 75 3 25
Gunseig	lb	17 18
Gunpowder, Lex'n keg		5 50 6 50
Dupont's		7 50
Hats—Roram	per doz	40 00
Castors		54 00 72 00
Wool		6 50 9 00
Hemp	lb	6
Hops	lb	25 37h
Indigo, Spanish floatant		2 37 2 50
Bengal		2 50
Iron—Juniata	ton	130
puddled		30 100
nooks, 6, 8 and 10d		120
do 4d		140
nail rods		160
Lead—Pig	lb	6 7
bar		7h
white, dry		16 17
ground in oil	keg	3 50 3 62
red, dry	lb	16
Leather, sole		23 25
upper	side	1 50 2 00
calf skins	doz	18 00 23 00
Lumber—		
Joist, pine or poplar, 1000ft.		15 00
Scantling, seasoned, do.		10 00 00
Pine boards, do.		12 00 12 50
Shingles, pine, pr.	1000	225 3 00
Molasses, N. Orleans gal		62h
Nails, Bowens' brand 4d to 10		7 10
Juniata brand do		7 8
Pittsburgh common		5 6
Zanesville	do	6 8
Boston	do	7
wrought		17 20
Oil, tanners		17 00 18 00
linseed		56 62
castor		1 37h 1 50
Provisions, Pork, mess		8h
Hams, bacon		4 6
Shoulders & sides	2h	3
Hogs' lard		5 6
Cheese		8 9
Butter, firkin lb		6h 8
Porter	bbl	10 00
Rice	lb	5h 6
Rags, cotton and linen		3
Salt, Turks Island	bush	1 00
Kenawha at the river		29 00
in store		33 00
Sugar, New Orleans		9 10h
Havanna, white		17 18
loaf and lump		19 20
Shot, all sizes	bag	2 25 00
Spices, Pepper	lb	23 24
Pimento		27 30
Cassia		43 45
Cloves		1 00 1 12h
Nutmegs		2 25
Ginger ground		12h
Spirits, Cog, brandy 4th p'f.		1 75 2 00
Spanish do		1 50 1 75
Holland gin		1 87 2 00
Rum, Jamaica		1 50 00
Whiskey, new		26 28
Steel, German	lb	17 18
Swedish		21
London, Crowley		19 21
Eng. blistered		19 20
American		8 10
Teas, Gunpowder, best		1 45 1 50
Imperial do		1 45 1 50
Young Hyson		95 1 00
Tobacco, manufactured		8 10
Tallow		5 7
Wines, Madeira L. P. gal		3 50 4 50
Sicily		2 00
Port		2 37
Teneriffe		1 75
Malaga		1 25

NOTE.—For h add one half.

SPORTSMEN ATTEND!!!

The HARRISON RACES, will commence on the 1st of November, and end on the 3d. The PURSE. First Day, \$100—Second Day \$50—to be governed by the rules of Racing—free for any Horse, Mare or Gelding.
First Day, 2 MILES and Repeat; Second Day, 2 MILES and Repeat; Third Day, 1 MILE and Repeat.
October, 7, 1826.

JACOB BLASI EL.
JOHN EWBANK.
October 4, 1826.