

POETICAL ASYLUM.

All the World's a Barber's Shop.

Our notions rightly "kittled up,"
Not one a doubt can harbour,
That all the world's a barber's shop,
And every man a barber.

The farmer he's a barber, friend,
And ready in a trice, sir,
To lather with a recommend,
And shave us with a price, sir,

Mechanics, they are barbers all,
Nor lackeys at the play, sir,
They lather when for work they call,
And shave us for the pay, sir.

The doctor he's a barber too,
He lathers with a pill, sir,
And many applicants or few,
He shaves them with a bill, sir.

The merchant he's a barber too,
And woe that him surprises!
He lathers with fine calico,
And shaves the beardlessasses.

Our congress members lately have
Assumed the barber's station.
And without lather tried to shave,
With double compensation.

But 'fall the sud-bedaubing host
With razors whet the keenest—
The lawyer lathers folks the most,
And shaves mankind the cleanest.

The following interpretation of the fable of Prometheus, is met within a late publication, "Headlong Fall."

"The natural and original man lived in the woods; the roots and fruits of the earth supplied his simple nutriment; he had few desires, and no disease. But when he began to sacrifice victims on the altar of superstition to pursue the goat and the deer, and by the pernicious invention of fire, to pervert their flesh into food; luxury, diseases and premature death, were let loose from the world. Such is clearly the correct interpretation of the fable of Prometheus, which is a symbolical portraiture of that disastrous error, when man first applied fire to culinary purposes and thereby surrendered his liver to the culture of disease. From that period the stature of mankind has been in a state of gradual diminution and I have not the least doubt, that it will continue to grow small by degrees until the whole race will vanish imperceptibly from the face of the earth."

A Young Man.

A steady habits and good character is wanted to attend a store in this place—to such an one good wages will be given. Apply to the Printer.
Sept. 26. S H43—4w

ENTERTAINMENT,

Francis Cunningham.

HAS opened a House of Entertainment at the corner of MARKET & FIFTH STREETS, in the house lately occupied by Josiah Bond, where he hopes by attention to business, to receive portion of public patronage—assures them that no exertion on his part shall be wanting to merit it.
43—tf Vincennes, Sept. 26, 1817.

NO FICE.

ALL persons indebted to the subscriber by Note or Book account are earnestly requested to call and pay them immediately—Mr. Will. C. Vandeventer, is authorized to receive and receipt for all moneys due me.
J. B. MCCA'L L.
Vincennes, 15th Sept. 1817.—41—6w

LAW NOTICE.

J. DORRY, will practice LAW in the first circuit, he resides at the Vincennes Hotel, where he may generally be found ready to attend to the business of his profession.
July 3.

PRINTING.

Neatly executed at this office

Saddling & Harness Making.

JOHN C. HOLLAND.

RESPECTFULLY informs the citizens of Vincennes and the public generally that he has commenced the

SADDLING BUSINESS,

in all its various branches in MARKET STREET, nearly opposite Mr. C. Greater's tavern, where he intends constantly keeping a General assortment of

Gentlemen's & Ladies'

Saddles & Bridles.

of the best quality, for sale & hopes from his experience in business and strict attention to merit at least a share of the public patronage—All orders in his line will be thankfully received & promptly attended to.
Sept. 62. 43—3m

ABRAHAM BROWN,
Boot and Shoe Factory.

Has just received a large and elegant assortment of materials in his line, among which he has a considerable quantity of Best

LONDON MOROCCO.

CALCULATED FOR

Ladies' and Gentlemen's Wear.

He has in his employ some first rate workmen, and flatters himself that from his attention to business and the superior style in which his work will be executed, to receive a share of public patronage.
October 7th, 1817.

Those indebted will please call and settle off their accounts, as I wish to pay my debts.
55—tf

TO RENT.

HAT commodious RED HOUSE, now occupied as a store by Reynolds & Bonner, also a large comfortable kitchen, warehouse, and large stable, and a large well finished close yard—Possession will be given 25th November next. Apply to

THEO'S. JONES.

Vincennes, Oct. 10th 1817. 5—3

MR. BENNETT,

Attorney & Conductor at Law.

Has his OFFICE in a room adjoining the office of the Indiana Centinel.

16—tf Vincennes, March 18—7

VIN ENNES LODGE No. 15.

October 10th A. L. 5817.

Samuel Parr, of Vincennes, in the County of Knox, Indiana, by trade a carpenter and house joiner, aged about 33 years, of light hair, fair complexion, and robust, has been expelled from all the privileges of masonry, for unmasonic conduct.

All Editors throughout the union who are friendly to the institution, will please insert the above in their papers.

By order of the W. Master.
VA. J. ERA LEY, Sec.

VINCENNES LODGE No. 15.

October 10th, A. L. 5817.

Joseph B. Emerson late of York Lodge Mass. now of Indiana by profession a physician aged about 26 years, of light hair fair complexion, and spare make has been expelled by this lodge from all the privileges of masonry, for ungentlemanly and unmasonic conduct.

All editors throughout the union, who are friendly to the institution will please insert the above in their papers.

By order of the W. Master
VAL. J. BRADLEY, Sec.

TO THE PUBLIC

GENTLEMAN.—There appears to be a report in circulation through some channel unknown to me, that I have declined entertaining gentlemen that thought proper to give me a call.—The report is incorrect—when I think proper gentlemen to quit the business I will give you my determination through the medium of the Western Sun and Centinel.

Those that think proper to give me a call will find my attention to them the same that it has always been. I thank the public for the liberal encouragement they have afforded to me, and wish to remain the public's humble servant

MARK BARNET.

September 23d. 43—tf

BLANK CHECKS.

On the bank of Vincennes.

For sale at this Office.

LIVERY STABLE.

ON SECOND STREET, Vincennes.



J. C. SMIRL,

RESPECTFULLY informs his friends & the public generally, that he has just erected

AN Elegant Brick STABLE

for the purpose of keeping Horses at Livery. He pledges himself to pay the most strict attention to all Horses entrusted to his care; he has a steady and attentive Ostler, & will at all times keep the best forage that can be procured—

He will also keep

HORSES & GIGS

for hire—His terms for keeping Horses, are as follows:—

	D.	C.
FOR ONE YEAR, - - - -	120	00
FOR ONE MONTH, - - - -	12	
FOR ONE WEEK, - - - -	3	
FOR 24 HOURS, - - - -	75	
July 11.	34	—

TOWN LOTS FOR SALE

WISH to dispose of a number of BUILDING LOTS in the town of Vincennes—also three lots with two good buildings thereon, now occupied as a store & tavern—also 40 or 50 acres of first rate land, adjoining the same—A great bargain will be given in the above property for a part paid in hand, and a reasonable credit for the balance.

JAMES DUNKIN.

April 17. 21—tf 81 1

Keep your Cash at Home.

THE subscriber has now on hand, and intends constantly keeping, his own manufacture, a supply of various sizes and of a superior quality—farmers, carpenters and others that may wish to purchase will be happy to give a preference to home manufacture.

JOHN B. STROPPES.

Vincennes, March 4, 1817—14—tf

Eight Dollars Per Month.

WILL be given to a person capable of doing the housework of a small family, she must be acquainted with plain sewing. Enquire of

THE PRINTER.

October 10. G H—45—tf

GOOD BARGAINS.

WILL to dispose of Lot No. 40 in Vincennes containing 400 acres there is on this tract a handsome prairie and the greater part of the tract first rate and all good farming land—also 204 acres adjoining the commons of Vincennes, which I will sell entire, or in small tracts to suit purchasers, promising no person will wish to purchase without first seeing the land, it will be shown, and the terms made known on application to

F. VIGO.

May 15, 1817. 24—tfv

JOHN McGIFFIN, & CO.

Have received, (in addition to their former Stock)

A GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF Dry Goods & Groceries;

CONSISTING IN PART, OF

Superfine Cloths,	Domestic Cottons,
Yellow and Blue	Muslins, Silks,
Nankeens	Raw & Spun cotton,
Ginghams,	Coffee.
Silk Umbrella &	Loaf, Lump & On-
Parasols,	leans Sugar
Young Hyson, &	Whiskey, Macker-
Imperial Teas	Window Glass,
Madeira Port &	Cut and Wrought
Claret Wines	Nails,
Cogniac Brandy	Salt, Tar,
Jamaica Rum	Bar Iron & castings
Draft Porter,	Soap.

ALSO.

A few doz. dressed Calf & Morocco SKINS

UPPER LEATHER, &c.

All of which, they will dispose of Wholesale or Retail, (at a very moderate advance) FOR CASH.
June 13, 29—tf

One Hundred Dollars Reward.

ANAWA from the subscriber on the night of the 31st August last a negro man named

SAM CARR,

6 feet high, weight 200 & upwards when in health left leg smaller than the other from a white swelling, which occasions him to limp smartly—hands & feet large—broad flat nose, very black, he is one of the greatest hypocrites and liars perhaps in the world of his color, very smart shrewd cunning fellow—professes to be a methodist, prays regularly night and morning in his family. I purchased him out of jail, at \$560 at this place, of Elisha Green, of Tennessee, from whom he runaway. He has with him a Riffid gun, brass mounted, Tomahawk and Butcher knife—wearing apparel of all kinds, bed clothing to a considerable amount. ALSO.

ALICE, the wife of SAM,

very black, small woman large mouth & eyes handsomely shaped small hollow feet—small toes short, she has considerable clothing also. I wish them to be well searched when taken, as I believe they have upwards of \$200 with them, as I have lost money lately out of my desk—they have with them a yellow girl 12 or 13 years old, the daughter of Alice a servant to John Harbin—I will give the above reward for Sam & Alice, or \$50 for either of them, with all reasonable expenses if secured in any jail so that I get them, or delivered to me in Vincennes.

B. V. BECKES.

Vincennes, Sept 3d. 1817.—40—tf

BARGAINS! BARGAINS!!

THE subscribers offer for sale at very low prices for Cash, a general assortment of

Dry-Goods, Hardware, Queensware, CONSISTING IN PART OF

roadcloths,	Vices,
Cassimeres,	Scythes,
Vestings,	Cutting Knives
Hosiery,	unriers, do
Stripes,	and saws,
blades,	German & Craw-
Muslins,	ley Steels,
Nankeens,	Iron wire,
Calicoes,	Shovels,
Ginghams,	Spades,
flannels,	Sheep Shears,
Cheeks,	Locks of every
shawls,	kind,
handkerchiefs,	Files,
Bedticking,	Hammers,
Cotton Yarns &c.	Knives & Forks,
Edged Plates,	Tenania Spoons,
—C. C. — do.	Blue printed Bowls
C C Cups & Sau-	—Dishes,
cers.	C. C. Bowls and
Blue Printed do.	ishes,
—Painted - do	C. C. Dishes,
—Hatched - do	Salts, Peppers,
Pittlers,	Creams & Sugar
Bowls,	Coffee & Sngary
Madeira	Brimstone,
Teneriffe	Salt Petre,
—Port	Copperas,
—Malaga	Salts,
Antigua Rum,	Ginger & Allspice,
—Jamaica - do	Pepper & Madder,
Cogniac Brandy,	Young Hyson
Whiskey,	—Old do
Iron Castings	Chutan and
Anvils	Imperial.

These Goods were purchased remarkably low in Baltimore, and will be sold at a small profit.

SAMUEL HILL, & CO.

Nearly opposite Gratters Tavern, Vincennes, July 24, 1817. 34—tf

STEPHEN P. STRIKER,

Tailor & Habit Maker.

RESPECTFULLY informs the citizens of Vincennes and the public generally, that he has taken a part of the new house lately erected by Mr. T Jones (nearly opposite Mr C. Gratters tavern) where he will strictly attend to, and faithfully execute all orders in the different branches of his business.

He hopes by the knowledge he has attained of his business by being engaged in the first shops in Philadelphia; to merit at least a share of the public patronage.

August. 15. 32—tf

The following Blanks for sale at this Office.

Blank Deeds, Blank Subpoenus Executions, Summonses