

# WESTERN SUN.

VINCENNES, MONDAY, OCTOBER 2, 1820.

The term for which the connection in business, between Stout & Osborn, having expired, E. Stout again resumes the entire and sole management of the *Western Sun & General Advertiser*; having heretofore conducted the establishment, he deems it needful to republish his political creed—all that he believes it necessary to say to his readers upon again entering on the arduous duties of an editor, is, that no exertions on his part shall be spared to render it worthy the patronage of an enlightened public.

DIED—On the 23d Sept. in Gibson County, Mrs. DEBORAH BRUNER, consort of Samuel Bruner, of this place.

On the 27th Sept. Mr. JAMES ELSWORTH, late of New-York. He has left a small family to deplore his loss.

On the 30th Sept. after a short illness, Mr. WILLIAM C. VANDEVEN-TER. His loss will be regretted by all who had the pleasure of his acquaintance.

Extract of a letter from the Council Bluffs, dated August 20, 1820.

"I embrace this opportunity to inform you that about 15 days since, a party of Indians (supposed to be the Sioux of the plains) murdered in a most shocking manner two Frenchmen belonging to Lisa's trading establishment. It will surprise you to learn that this horrid deed was perpetrated within 12 miles of this place; and we were not apprised of it until ten days afterwards, when about a dozen officers and myself, went out and buried them; they appeared to have been killed with arrows, some of which we found in them. One of those poor unfortunate men is said to have been a most valuable man to the establishment; he was a half Indian (Osage) the company regrets his loss very much."

St. Louis Enquirer.

Statement of the situation of the Bank of Missouri.

Capital Stock of M. B.	210,000
Branch	40,000
Debits due	367 7 5. 06
Real estate	14 968 05
Monies deposited	255 481 94
Notes in circulation	141,503 25
Cash on hand in Specie	189 624 97
Bank Notes & Eastern Funds	26,294 57
T. F. Riddick, agent to be exchanged in Kentucky and Ohio	6,650 10
At St. Genevieve	40,000 00
	261,524 64

August Chouteau, President.  
Joseph Philipson,  
Thomas Brady,  
H. Von-Phul,  
Michael Tesson,  
Thomas Hempstead,  
L. Bompert, Cashier.

St. Louis Enquirer.

UTICA, AUGUST 22.

The remains of Gen. COVINGTON, who fell at the battle of Chrysler's field, and Lt. Col. DIX and JOHNSON, who died in the service of their country, have been removed from French Mills to Sacket's Harbor by the officers of the second regiment of Infantry, and deposited near the remains of the Lamented Pike, Spencer &c. The funeral rites were performed on Tuesday last, attended by the officers and men of the army and navy generally and many of the citizens of Sacket's Harbor and the neighboring towns.—Major Gen. Brown and suite appeared in the procession as mourners, and divine service was performed at the place of interment by the Rev. Mr. Snowden.

New Island off Cape Horn.—A new island has been discovered off Cape Horn, in lat. 61 deg. long. 55 deg. by the ship William, on a voyage from Monte Video to Valparaiso. The same ship having been dispatched by Capt. Sheriff of the Andromache frigate, to survey the coast, explored it for 200 miles. The Captain went on shore and found it covered with snow, and uninhabited; abundance of seals and whales were found in its neighbourhood. He has named it New Sietland.

American Worthies.—We have to correct an error respecting the age of Mr. Jefferson as stated in the last volume, in the number of the 19th of August, page 447. We are informed on the best authority, that Mr. Jefferson was born on the 2d of April, 1743, and consequently was 77 years old in April last, instead of 73.

Of the fifty-six illustrious men who signed the declaration of independence forty-four years ago, four remain to witness and enjoy the fruits of their unanimous determination to possess the rights of self-government. When we

reflect that the persons elected for members of the old congress, were persons of mature age and eminent for their experience, wisdom and virtue, it is a subject for gratitude and congratulation, that some yet remain to bless the nation with their presence, with strong faculties to point the path which leads to the public good.

But, perhaps, the whole history of revolutions affords no example of such steady perseverance and unshaken constancy as the sages and heroes of our own presents for admiration. Of the fifty-six who signed the declaration, we have never heard that any one became a reprobate, though they passed through times which, indeed, "tried men's souls;" not in the army was there any one of considerable rank. Arnold excepted, who turned traitor to the cause of his country, notwithstanding the powerful inducements offered to sin, and the artful means exerted to disengage them from their devotion to the new-born republic. We think that in a consideration of these facts, we may discover something honorable to human nature, and it is our pride that this singular honor belongs to America. It may further be observed, that those who have departed descended tenderly loved to the grave, and that those who survive are revered as fathers of the people; between whom and them the most happy and pleasing intercourse exists. We fasten our eyes upon them and hang upon their words, as if they were of a superior order of being: yet they do not receive that sort of homage which kings exact of the people of king-governed countries—bestow—it is the homage of virtue to virtue, freely given and affectionately received on principles of political equality, for services rendered or attentions paid; honorable alike to both parties to it.

As it is appointed to all men to die, we cannot hope many years longer to be blessed with the presence of any of those who acted in the revolution—yet we pray, that the day of their departure may be as distant as their desire is to remain—and when it shall please Him who raised them up for the great work of giving birth to a nation, to take them to Himself—that they may be blessed and leave the world triumphant—without one wish ungratified. Niles' Register.

Professor Silliman saw in the British Museum, "an Egyptian pebble, which being accidentally broken, discovered, on both parts of the fracture, a striking likeness of the poet Chaucer. It is a most singular lusus naturæ.

"Mr. Stoughton, Spanish Consul, at Boston has in his possession a similar lusus naturæ. It is a flint pebble obtained amongst ballast—stone, thrown from a vessel at an eastern port. When broken it presented two complete half heads in profile; all the outlines of the features & hair, were perfectly distinct, & the head were of a darker color than the rest of the stone. What is most surprising is, that one face was male and the other female; and even the putting up of the hair was appropriate to the sexes—they were situated in the stone, face to face. Nat. Intel.

Pointed Pins.—The following neat & novel toasts were drunk at Shawneetown, in Illinois, on the 4th of July last.

The Fair Sex.—Though partial to no particular state but that of matrimony they are always ready to promote union and good feelings.

Agriculture.—May the honest man who puts his hand to the plough never have his soul harrowed with care.

Domestic Manufactures.—While our men make good husbands—our women good wives—our children good citizens—and our citizens good soldiers we fear no foreign competitors.

The Tars of Columbia, who paid all our debts to John Bull, by boarding him, for nothing.

Spanish Needle Work.—His Majesty quilted petticoats, and the ministers made ships—but the people put on "righteousness, and it clothed them."

The Times.—Though hard times are plenty—and hard money scarce, let us not complain while we have whiskey for our friends, and gunpowder for our enemies.

Alexandria (in Egypt) Feb 4.

We are at length able to announce that the great canal for transportation, from Red Sea upon the Nile, to Alexandria is finished. The Pasha has descended it for its whole length, accompanied by his oldest son, Ibrahim Pasha, famous for his victories over the Wechabites. They arrived at Alexandria by way of the canal in 27 hours from Cairo.

Cure for Dysentery.—The following is said to be a certain cure for the Dysentery. is communicated for publication by John Winslow, of Scipio;—Cayuga Rep.

"Take the herb called Bitter Weed, by some called Arrow Weed, by others Cows' Tail Weed, because it has a bunch similar to a cow's tail, pound it & moisten it with water, and squeeze out the juice to the quantity of one gill; add one gill of new milk right from the cow, and two table spoonfuls of molasses, mix them well together and drink it—if the first dose does not remove the cause in six hours, repeat the dose. Twenty years practice of the above mentioned, has tested its efficacy.—The herb grows wild from one to five feet high."

Patriotic.—The Lycurgan Society of Yale College, New-Haven, on the recommendation of their committee, composed of members from different states of the union, have resolved to wear a uniform dress of domestic manufacture, which is described as follows:

"A coat or short coat, and pantaloons of dark domestic cloth black and white mixture, denominated iron grey, made agreeable to the present fashion in every respect, except that the coat is single breasted, with a small pointed lapel: the pocket on the outside of the skirt with a scoloped welt."

## A List of Letters.

REMAINING in the Post-Office at Vincennes, the quarter ending on the 30th day of September, 1820, which if not taken out within three months will be sent to the General Post-Office as dead letters:

Persons enquiring for letters in the above list, will please say they are advertised.

Lawden Andrews  
John Alexander  
William Amey  
William Armstrong  
Archibald Allen  
Richard Anderson  
Zackariah Archer  
Ann Abbott

Enoch Bacus 2  
Josiah Butler  
John Bath  
Toussaint Boyer  
John Benefield  
Thomas Blake  
John Brown  
J. Bogardus  
James V. Baird 2  
William Barney  
Seth Bacon  
John Bramby  
John Boyer  
John H. Bennett  
William Boyer  
William Bonner  
Monsieur Blande  
Mark Burnett

Elisha Crocker 2  
Elizabeth Collins  
Dixon Clark  
Samuel H. Club  
Nathan Clifton  
Robert Dare  
Mr. Dilworth  
David Douthet  
Constance Dubois 2  
I. W. Durenford  
Ludwick Earnest  
Cornelius Fuller  
John Fletcher  
John Fox  
Jacob Grigg  
Frederick Grinteer  
Peter Grimore  
Thomas Glass 4  
Patrick Gilmore 2  
Andrew Gardner  
Barbara Gawthony

Robert Dare  
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John Fletcher  
John Fox

John H. Esly  
John B. Fennimore  
Thomas Ford 2  
Alexander Fisher  
D. Greenough  
Henry Gillame  
Hugh Glenn 2  
Robert Gill  
William W. Gallup  
Walter Goff

John Hickman  
Joseph Hicks  
Amos Hanoway  
John Hudelson  
Ambrose Hulen  
George W. Hoyle  
William Hauce  
Daniel Hines  
William Henderson

Daniel Jacobs  
D. K. Jones  
William Junkin  
Wm. H. Johnston

Wm. or Jas. Kams  
Geo. C. King

Jacob H. Leets  
William Lee  
Arthur Lennen  
Ant. A. Lafou  
Renel Leonard  
Oliver Lockwood  
John Lester  
Mrs. S. Lewis  
Jacob J. Lowe  
Romeo Lewis

Jacob Mongin  
Joseph McClintock  
Joseph McLintock  
Samuel Manning  
John G. McClelling  
James A. Miller  
Samuel Mathews

William Meliard  
George Mytinger  
William Morris  
Jeremiah McNeely  
William Millard  
William Martin

James Nabb 2  
John Ockeltree

Arthur Patterson 7  
William Polke 2  
James Parkenson  
Thomas Palmer  
John C. Packard  
Moses B. Pearson  
Jack Henry

John Roadie  
Thos. H. Richardson  
Robert Raper  
John Russell  
Robert A. Road  
John Robb  
Abner Robinson  
John Reynolds  
A. Racine  
William Raper

Joshua Smith Jr.  
Samuel Stout  
James Seedses  
Wm. M. Stewart  
Hugh Seeds  
Benjamin Sampson  
Louisa Smirl  
Dr. Sylvester Spelman  
Smith Shaw  
Daniel Sullivan  
William Sprigg  
Wm. A. Stellman  
David Stewart  
Gabriel Scott  
Ambroy T. Sawyer  
Nancy Sisco

Chas. Tillinghast  
William Trusdall 4  
Thorne  
Robert Thompson

Col. F. Vigo  
T. G. Vanderburgh

Wm. Westropo  
Noah Wright  
Dr. Jeremiah Wood  
Elizabeth Woods  
Wm. Wray  
W. M. N. Walker  
Edward Wheeler  
Spencer Wood  
Elizabeth Willher  
John Welton

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Vincennes, Oct. 1820.

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## STATE OF INDIANA,

DUBOIS COUNTY.

### TAKEN UP,

By David Wellman, one

Brown Bay MARE, about

14 hands high, 10 or 11 years old; a blaze

down her forehead, several saddle spots

on her back, and a scar down her off

side, both hind feet white, no brands per-

ceivable, appraised to 35 dollars, by J.

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under my hand this 3d day of July, 1820.

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By Davis Williams, one

Chesnut Sorrel MARE,

About 5 years old last spring, about 14

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A Copy Test,

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ABRAHAM BOWMAN.

October 2, 1820.

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Cornelius Merry  
John McCouloght  
Isaac McGary  
Allen McGehy  
Sally McNeely

Moses Nash  
Thomas Owens 2

Lewis Peckham 3  
William Prince 2  
Moses Petty  
William Pace  
Jacob Poorman  
Mr. Paillard

James Ridy  
Nat. M. Richards  
David Ritzley  
James Reed  
Samuel Roques  
Rev. Calvin Rute  
Bishop R. R. Roberts  
Daniel Rankin  
Maria Reily

G. Simpson  
Merrill Scarlett  
John Scridder 2  
Samuel Skomp  
John Smith 3  
Daniel Shaw 2  
Joab Sexton  
Rev. S. T. Scott 2  
Michael Sackman  
Jacob Seager  
John J. Stewart  
J. M. Stuploe  
James Smirl  
Mrs. Margaret Scott  
Rachel Slawson  
John Shackford

Caleb Trever  
Charles Thompson  
Wm. Thompson  
Waller Taylor

Jno. T. Vandeventer  
Catharine Vanosdale

Pleasant Whitlow  
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