

## THE WESTERN SUN

VINCENNES, SEPTEMBER 22, 1827.

The Wabash river is again up in good navigable order, and yet rising.

By a gentleman just from St. Louis, I am informed, that the Winebago Indians have met Gen. Atkinson, have delivered up to him the murderers heretofore demanded, and sued for peace.

To a correspondent.—H. is received, but is unavoidably crowded out this week—he shall have a place next week.

INDIANAPOLIS, Sept. 11.

Mr. Knight and party commenced the permanent location of the National Road to the west of this place, on yesterday.—The road crosses White river some few poles north of Washington street. The road will be permanently located as far as the state line dividing Indiana and Illinois, and it is expected they will be enabled to run a random line from thence to Vandalia, during the present season.

*Indianapolis Gazette.*

VANDALIA, Sept. 15.—We have conversed with a gentleman who left the Mines at Fever river on the 10th inst. who informed us, that a junction of the troops had been effected near the Portage between the Ouisconsin and Fox rivers.—Gen. Atkinson had written to the citizens of Galena, advising them to be on their guard, as he considered that they were in danger. He had taken some Indians prisoners, who represented to him, that the great body of the Indians were much alarmed, and were willing to submit to any terms he might impose upon them. The general however, will not be deceived by this intelligence. They have endeavored to impress this idea upon our citizens from the commencement of our difficulties, with a view to prevent the adoption of necessary measures of defence on our part. We learn that all business at the Mines is suspended; some of the stores are closed, and every thing is at a stand. A large portion of our adventurers have returned home—the most efficient of those remaining in the upper country, are now in service with the U. S. troops.—Three months since it was supposed that there were rising of 5000 men employed at the Mines—the estimate now is only about 700.

Genl. Gaines arrived at St. Louis last week, on his way to our northern frontier, to take command of the army. It is said the remainder of the troops at St. Louis will accompany him to the upper country.

(Official) RASKASKIA, Aug. 24, 1827.

SIR—You will take immediate measures for detaching into service, and for having in readiness to march at a moments warning, whenever thereto lawfully required, one complete battalion of infantry from that portion of the militia under your command, which is contained in the counties south of Shelby, Montgomery, Sangamon, Morgan and Calhoun counties, the militia of which, together with that of all those counties lying north of them, are in pursuance of the powers vested in me by law, exempted from the draft hereby ordered.

NINIAN EDWARDS,  
Gov. of the state of Illinois, & commander in chief of the militia thereof.

Maj. Gen. JOSEPH DUNCAN.

RASKASKIA, Aug. 31, 1827.

General Orders.—SIR—The major general commanding the 1st division Illinois militia, has this moment received an order from the gov. of the state, requiring him to have detached into service one complete battalion of infantry, from the 1st & 2d brigades of the militia under his command.—“You will take immediate measures for detaching into service, and for keeping in readiness to march at a moments warning, whenever thereto lawfully required”—three companies of infantry, to be taken from the several regiments, and odd battalions composing your command, except the battalions in Montgomery & Shelby counties; each company to consist of 65 men, rank and file, to be organized and officered agreeably to law.—By order of major general,

JOS. DUNCAN.

WM. SIMONTON, D.L. 1st D.M.

To Brig. Gen. Samuel Whiteside, or the officer now in command of the 1st brigade of the 1st division, Ill. militia. [A similar order has been issued by the maj. gen. to brig. gen. James, commanding the 2d brigade, 1st div. for three complete companies of infantry.]

RASKASKIA, Aug. 31, 1827.

Sir—I have just received an order from Gov. Edwards, to detach into service, one complete battalion of infantry, out of the 1st & 2d brigade of the 1st div. Illinois militia; and as I have no rank roll of the

division with me, you will detail for service, to take command of the troops required as above, one Lt. col. out of either of the brigades from which the battalion is to be raised, agreeably to the 30th sec. of the act for the organization and government of the militia of this state; and inform such officer that he has to march at a moments warning.—Very respectfully, your obedient servant,

JOS. DUNCAN, M.G. 1st D.M.  
Col. E. C. BERRY, A.G.M.

From the Rochester Daily Telegraph. Extract of a letter from an officer of the U. S. Army, to the Editors of the Telegraph, dated Saut de St. Marie, August 6, 1827.

Capt. Franklin, of the British Arctic land expedition, left here yesterday, on his return, via Montreal and New-York, to England: Doct. Richardson accompanies him.—Lieut. Back, with the rest of the party, return by Hudson's Bay.

SCRAPS.—The venerable Charles Carroll, the only surviving signer of the Declaration of Independence, has given \$70,000 towards the Maryland and Ohio Rail road. May he live to behold the fruits of his munificence.—Reports from Charleston, (s. o.) of the 16th Aug. state, that the yellow fever had made its appearance in that place.—It is stated that an excessive drought prevails in some parts of Georgia, whole fields of corn are entirely destroyed.—Among the imports into Constantinople, from Greece, are mentioned the arrival of 1000 human heads, & 1,200 pair of salted ears. They were intended for the special use of the sultan.—A mercantile expedition from Missouri to Santa Fe, (Mexico) arrived at Franklin, (Mo.) in July last, with \$30,000 in specie, and several hundred mules. It proved a profitable trip.—

The British sloop of war, Esk, has captured on the coast of Africa a Spanish vessel, which had on board 450 negroes, she carried her into Sierra Leone.—A company with a large capital, has lately been formed in New York, for the purpose of settling Sugar plantations in Florida—the editor of the St. Augustine Herald, thinks it a project that must prove successful.—

During the last seven months, 411 foreign vessels arrived at Boston. During the same period 795 arrived at New York.—Two men near Red river, (La.) lately drank a gallon of whiskey upon a bet, in the space of a few minutes—the person who proposed the bet, went for more, but on his return found the other lifeless.—

A dreadful hurricane has lately visited almost all Calabria, (Italy,) and done considerable damage. The district of Calona is converted into a lake, which is in many places 35 feet deep.—Two thirds of Gallico is destroyed and one third of the inhabitants perished in the waves. From the town of Giovanni to Reggio, the whole country is a sea; in the neighborhood of the latter, a water volcano, (as the papers call it,) has been formed, which continues to extend, and lay waste the country.—

The New York Evening Post says a gentleman from Stonington, (Conn.) informs us that an earthquake was felt at that place, and likewise at Westerly and New London on Saturday last, about half past 9 o'clock, just previous to the commencement of the N. E. storm. He also states that for some hours previous to the gale, the swell of sea in all the harbors and bays along the sea coast, was greater than ever before witnessed.

### FALL RACES.

Sportsmen Attend.



THE FALL RACES, upon the Vincennes track, will take place on Friday and Saturday, the 12th & 13th of October next,

Frist day's race, two miles & repeat—second day, one mile & repeat—free for any horse, mare, or gelding. Entrance \$5, and 50 cents for contingencies.

Subscribers are requested to be punctual in paying up their subscriptions to John C. Clark five days before the races—all horses must be entered the day before they run, or double entrance will be exacted. It is expected that the purse for each day, will be worth the attention of gentlemen who have good horses, and wish to see them try their speed.

J. C. CLARK, Sec'y. F. G. C.  
September 20, 1827. 33-1d

### LAW PARTNERSHIP.

DEWEY & E. H. McJUNKIN,  
WILL practice LAW in conjunction

in the Daviess Circuit court.—Any business entrusted to E. H. McJunkin, at Washington, Indiana, (where he resides) will be attended to by both, with punctuality.

12-6m. Washington, April 1827.

McJUNKIN will practice in the adjacent Circuit courts.

### SPLENDID AUCTION.

FIRST FALL SALE  
BY MUIR & ORMSBY,  
ON MONDAY, TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, &  
THURSDAY,

1st, 2d, 3d, & 4th of October next,

And on the NIGHTS of the same days.

UPWARD: of 3000 packages of

BRITISH, INDIA, and DOMESTIC

GOODS.

INVOICES of which are now at hand,

comprising the most extensive and general assortment ever offered at auction in the western country, viz:

Blue, black, brown, mixed & olive cloths

and cassimeres,

Super Cassinets and Sattinets,

Marseilles and fancy Vestings,

6-4, 7-4, 8-4, 9-4, 10-4, 11-4, 12-4, 13-4,

and 14-4 Rose Blankets,

2-3, 3-3, 4, 4-4 point Blankets,

Red, white, and yellow Flannels,

Salsbury and green Flannels,

Bombazets and Ratinets,

4-4, 5-4, and 6-4 green Baizes,

Tartan and Circassian Plaids,

Worsted, cotton, lambs wool, and anglo

Hose and half Hose,

super new style Prints and Calicos,

4-4, 5-4, and 6-4 cambric, jaconet, leno,

book, mull mull, and fancy Muslins,

Nankin & Canton crapes and crabe robes,

assorted colors.

black and white Italian crapes,

Fancy Ribands,

silk Shawls and Handkerchiefs,

black, blue and cloth colored Italian sewing

silks,

Ladies' and gentlemen's black and white

silks, beaver, kid and dog skin Gloves,

Flag, silk and bandanna Handkerchiefs,

Fancy Silks, Sanshaws and Sarsnets,

cotton maddress, flag, bandanna, and Tur-

key red Handkerchiefs,

Damask and Russia Diapers,

gauze Handkerchiefs and crape Lisse,

Irish Linens and Sheetings,

black and brown Hollands,

gentlemen's plain, fig'd & fancy cravats,

super indigo plaids, stripes and dammos,

3-4, 7-8, 4-4 and 5-4 furniture and apron

checks, and bed Tickings,

3-4, 4-4, 5-4, and 6-4 brown and bleached

shirtings and sheetings,

4-4, 5-4 and 6-4 domestic Diaper,

cotton and worsted Suspenders,

Cotton Bails, assorted colors,

spool Floss, Nuns Thread,

Marseilles Quilts and Counterpanes,

cotton and linen tapes,

super chintz Shawls,

3-4, 4, 4-4, and 5-4 pins.

Also—a general assortment of

Looking Glasses, Playing Cards,

Lighthorn and straw Bonnets,

Ladies', gentlemen's, misses, and children's Shoes,

Morocco Hats, cow hides, &c.

Likewise—a general assortment of

Hardware & Cutlery,

consisting of Knives and Forks,

pen, pocket, dirk, butcher & shoe Knives,

Sheep Shears, Chisels, Gouges, & Plane

Irons,

Table, Parliament and Butt Hinges,

Knob, closet, till, cupboard & chest Locks

Table and Tea Spoons; Squares,

Steelyards; Commode Knobs,

plated and tinned Bridle Bits,

pitt, mill, crosscut and handsaw Files,

Gilt, coat and vest Buttons,

plated, iron, bronze & brass Candlesticks,

Pocket Books; Crowley & Blister Steel,

Boston and Pittsburgh cut Nails,

Iron Teakettles; wire Sifters,

Spades, Shov'ls, Mattocks & Hoes,

Hoop and Bar Iron; Waggon Boxes,

Nails, Andirons &c. &c.

Also—8-10, and 10-12 Window Glass,

boxes Flint Tumblers, Flasks & Bottles.

To which will be added, a large lot of

### GROCERIES.

Consisting of Teas,

Louf, Lump, and New-Orleans Sugar,

Molasses, Coffee, Pepper, Pimento,

Cinnamon, Cloves, Nutmegs, Indigo,

Spice, Madder; Nos. 1, 2 & 3 Mackerel,

Cod Fish, Herring, Brandy, Rum, Gin,

Wines, Tobacco, &c. &c.

Also—8-10, and 10-12 Window Glass,

boxes Flint Tumblers, Flasks & Bottles.

To which will be added, a large lot of