

fishing supplies, crews and extra hands, give employment during that portion of the year when the river is open to 17,500. Further, that the navigation of the western waters sustains 90,000 of the population of the west.

From the Indiana Palladium.

FIRE! We understand that a fire occurred a few evenings since, in the most business part of Brookville, which destroyed all the buildings on one square fronting on Main street, a short distance northwest of the court house. The block contained 6 or 8 frame houses, which were principally occupied by shops and groceries. The greater part of the property was saved. We have not learned whether any part was insured, nor in what way the fire originated.

ERUPTION OF MOUNT ETNA.

We have, for several weeks past, had vague rumours of an awful eruption of Mount Etna in Sicily, but have had nothing authentic on the subject. The following extract, from a letter from Messina, received by a respectable commercial house in this city, may be relied on as far as it goes; we wish that the writer had entered more into the details of this phenomenon. It would be almost worth the trouble of a voyage across the Atlantic, to see such a volcano as Etna in full blast.

I have to advise you, that one of the most awful eruptions of Mount Etna, for many years, is at this moment taking place; three new craters have been formed, one of which vomits lava, the second stones, the third only smoke; the stream of lava is at this moment over one mile in breadth, and about eighteen miles in extent; the loss of property is immense, as many fine valleys have been filled and thousands of fruit trees destroyed, together with the almost incessant earth quakes which attend it, have destroyed many villages. As the progress of the lava is very slow, (one and a half miles in 24 hours,) it has engulfed all the inhabitants to escape, and the country is filled around for miles, with the inhabitants, and about ten thousand strangers, who have come to visit the mountain, living under tents, which, at this inclement season, rendered more so by this eruption, which always causes very bad weather, creates a great deal of suffering, added to which, the naturally poor condition of the inhabitants, and scarcity of food, is really distressing. Should it not soon cease, the fine village of Bronte, celebrated for its good white wine, as being the estate with a good title, conferred on Lord Nelson, after one of his great naval victories, by the King of Naples, must fall a prey to it, the lava being now only a few miles from it. It is seventy miles from this place to the mountain, but all who have witnessed the eruption, represent it to be a most magnificent yet awful spectacle. The stream had collected about sixty feet high at the last dates, and it was momentarily expected to launch forward. It is in this way that descends, not as a stream of water, but it continues to form an immense precipice, till the top overbalances the bottom, when it slides forward for a mile or perhaps more, and then does not again move forward till another precipice is formed. —Boston Centinel.

The Macon (Geo.) Telegraph of the 27th ult. says — The number of emigrants daily passing through this state, mostly from South Carolina, is without parallel in our recollection. It is estimated that not less than 50,000 souls left South Carolina within the last six months; and judging from what have passed through this place, we should think that number not above the mark.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

The partnership heretofore existing between S. Rathbone & H. Van Vleck, under the firm of S. Rathbone, & Co. is this day dissolved. It therefore becomes necessary that the books be immediately closed by settlement, and all those indebted to the late firm are requested to call on the undersigned and settle their accounts without delay.

S. RATHBONE.

Vincennes, March 21, 1833.—9-3w

LAST NOTICE,

Unless it has a better effect than heretofore ALL those indebted to me, either by a note or book account, would do well to attend to the same before the first day of April next.

Also, those that have open accounts on my books for smithwork done by B. Wellman, will please call on me and settle the same without delay, as further indulgence cannot be given.

W.M. MIEURE.

Vincennes, March 16, 1833.—7-ff

PUBLIC NOTICE.

In the spring of 1829, or 1830, the following articles were left in Vincennes and have not since been called for, viz: one small sack of COFFEE, a TRUNK, dashed round with an old sternlast, and a bag, containing sundry articles. The owner can get them by applying at the Western Sun office, paying for this advertisement, and proving his property.

Nov. 30, 1832.—43-6

Rags! Rags! Rags!

CASH, or WORK, will be given for any quantity of clean Linen or Cotton rags at the WESTERN SUN office.

NOTICE!

ALL persons indebted to me by note or book account, are hereby informed that I have, and by these presents, do appoint and confirm John D. Woolverton my true and lawful agent, to receive pay and settle by note or otherwise for me and in my name, and he is fully authorised to sign receipts and to give releases accordingly. My books and notes are now in his possession, and he is instructed to sue in all cases where this notice is not promptly attended to—the state of my health requires this course, and I trust my old friends will not neglect this call.—E. McNAMEE.

Vincennes, March 23, 1833.—8-6t

STATE OF INDIANA,

Knox County.

KNOX CIRCUIT COURT,

March Term, 1833.

Isaac Blackford,

vs.

Heirs of Martin Riley, *deed.*

AND now at this time comes the com-

plainant, by Samuel Judah his

counsel, and on the suggestion of the

sheriff's return, *It is ordered by the Court*

now here, that publication of this suit be

made unto Joseph Riley, John C. Riley,

James Gad, Maryann Gad, Margaret Riley,

David Marney, and Polly Marney, in the

Western Sun, a paper printed at Vincennes,

for three weeks successively, that they

be and appear at the next term of this court to answer complainant's bill, or

the same will be taken as confessed, and a

decree entered accordingly.

Copy—Attest.

A. D. SCOTT, Clerk.

March 23, 1833—9-3t

STATE OF INDIANA,

Knox County.

KNOX CIRCUIT COURT,

March Term, 1833.

Martin Robinson,

vs.

John Morford and the un-

known heirs of James S.

Brown, deceased.

AND now at this time comes the com-

plainant, by Ellis his attorney, and

filed his certain bill in writing; and the

court being fully advised and satisfied that the said defendants are not residents of this state, *It is therefore ordered and de-*

creed by this Court, that notice of the pen-

alty of this suit be given in the Western

Sun, a paper printed in Vincennes,

for three weeks in succession, that they be

and appear at the next term of this court,

to be held on the first Monday of Sep-

tember next, and then and there answer

said complainant's bill, or the same will be

taken as confessed, and a decree entered

accordingly.

Copy—Attest.

A. D. SCOTT, Clerk.

March 25, 1833—9-3t

LAND FOR SALE.

THE subscriber offers for sale the following tracts of Land, viz:

200	acres of Donation Lot No. 143	185	do	do	do	182
199	do	do	do	do	181	189
199	do	do	do	do	189	189
400	do	do	do	do	146	146
190	do	do	do	do	211	211
70	do	do	do	do	189	189
95	do	do	do	do	175	175
350	do	do	do	do	54	54
100	do	do	do	do	99	99
50	do	do	do	do	86	86
100	do	do	do	do	92	92
130	do	do	do	do	167	167
200	S. E. half	do	do	do	199	199

ALSO—

The following Tract in Sullivan County:—W. 4 S. W. fractional 4 S. frac. 3, in T. S. N. of R. 11 W.; containing 77 and 62 thirds acres. The above tract has a comfortable hewn log house on it with other out buildings, and about twenty or thirty acres cleared land, with good fences and other improvements.

Any person wishing to purchase any of the above described tracts during the absence of the subscriber, will please call on John Law, Esq. who is authorized to sell and transfer the same.

BENJAMIN OLNEY.

Vincennes, 23d Jan. 1832—5-ff

DR. JOSEPH BROWNE

OFFERS to the people of Vincennes and vicinity, his services in the practice of MEDICINE, SURGERY, and OBSTETRIC'S. He resides in the house formerly occupied by the late C. Graeter, where he may be found at all times, save when out on professional business.

BENJAMIN OLNEY.

Vincennes, 23d Jan. 1832—5-ff

PROBATE COURT,

February Term, 1833.

IN the matter of the estate of David Kinnan, deceased, it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, that an appraisement of the estate real, has been made, and upon suggestion of the administrator, that there is not a sufficiency of assets in his hands to satisfy the debts due from said estate. *It is ordered* by the Court, that notice be given to the heirs of the said David Kinnan, that they be and appear at the next term of this Court, and shew cause why the real estate of the said decedent should not be sold, and its proceeds made assets in the hands of the administrator.

A copy—Attest

JOHN MCINTIRE, C. P. C. P. C.

March 9, 1833—6-6t

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Nov. 30, 1832.—43-6

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