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### INTRODUCTION

The obituaries which are abstracted in this volume are taken entirely from newspapers published within the boundaries of present-day Dearborn County.

Most have been microfilmed, and all are available, either in the original, or on microfilm, at either the Lawrenceburg or Aurora Public Library. Each library holds the papers published in its respective town. Wilmington newspapers are at Aurora. Most of the newspapers are also available at the Indiana State Library, Indianapolis, in the newspaper archives division.

In abstracting these obituaries, the author was dismayed by the large number of issues which are missing, especially among the earlier newspapers. Nevertheless, it is encouraging to note that, of the several newspapers published during this time period, enough remain to construct a fairly complete chronological file.

One of the finest aids to newspaper research in Indiana is "Indiana Newspaper Bibliography", by John W. Miller, Indianapolis, The Indiana Historical Society, 1982. This very valuable work lists every newspaper ever published in Indiana, together with locations, dates of publication, and information about the publishers themselves. It was a tremednous help in identifying early Dearborn newspapers, and in verifying that all possible copies had been consulted.

In general this book contains only abstracts of obituaries and coroner's inquests, except for the period prior to March 1826, when all probate notices were also abstracted. This was done because of the disastrous fire which destroyed the Dearborn County Court House in March 1826. Probate matters after that date can readily be found in the court records.

In most cases, when a death was reported in more than one newspaper, the author has deleted the extra report, consolidating any added information in the remaining notice.

The index to this volume contains every name mentioned in the obituaries, and includes relatives or other people who were mentioned along with the deceased.

# THE INDIANA REGISTER Lawrenceburg, Indiana

- 03 Jan 1851- Died Monday 30th ult., E. Conwell Lowe, age 23. fell from the steamer Mary Pell and drowned.
- 03 Jan 1851- Died this city Monday 30th, Walter K. Sprague, infant son of J. H. and D. Sprague.
- 03 Jan 1851- Died Thursday 2nd, Lewis Franklin Burroughs, age 14, eldest son of Ephraim and Elsie Burroughs, of this city.
- 10 Jan 1851- Drowned, 4th inst., David Chisman, son of George Chisman, Aurora. Ice skating on Hogan Creek, and the ice broke.
- 17 Jan 1851- Died Ohio Co., Chester Thare, burned to death in a house fire 10 days ago.
- 17 Jan 1851- Died 14th, Aurora, Mrs. Sarah Cannon, age 56.
- 07 Feb 1851- Died Saturday, 1 February, Mrs. Mary Dunn, wife of Hon. George H. Dunn. Her father John Gibson, removed here from Philadelphia at an early day. Age 54 years, one month.
- 07 Feb 1851- Died in Aurora 31 January at the home of Mrs. Hurlburt, Miss Henrietta Conwell, age 18, daughter of Elias Conwell of Napoleon.
- 07 Feb 1851- Died 4 February, Elvira Chambers, age 12, youngest daughter of Josiah Chambers of Aurora.
- 12 Sep 1851- Died 8th inst. at the residence of her father, Mr. B. Adams, Newtown, Lucinda Adams, age 27 years.
- 12 Sep 1851- Died 9th September, Laughery township, Daniel Fee Prior, son of Hamilton and Ann Prior.

### ISSUES MISSING

- 09 Jan 1852- Coroner's Inquest: body of Louisa F. Marshall, age 6, Harrison township. Killed in an accidental fall.
- 05 Mar 1852- Died at Indianapolis, 24th inst., Ethan Allen Brown of Rising Sun, in his 73rd year.
- 05 Mar 1852- Died 24 February of scarlet fever, Ada, daughter of Aaron B. Henry. Age 14 years, 10 months, 5 days.
- 26 Mar 1852- Died at his residence near Aurora, 10 March, John Buffington, born 7 March 1784. Removed west in 1797. Nine children,

- 49 grandchildren, 8 great grandchildren.
- 09 Apr 1852- Killed in the explosion of the steamer Redstone: James Goble, born Aurora 2 March 1830, son of Aaron Goble; E.G. Crisman, age 22, mother lives near Newark, Ohio; Edwin N. Durbin, son of Winfield S. Durbin.
- 07 May 1852- Died, of wounds suffered in the explosion of the steamer Redstone, Tuesday last, Sidney Langley.
- 28 May 1852- Died, in this city, Monday last, William Edney, in his 78th year.
- 15 Oct 1852- Died this city, Monday last, William, son of William and Louisa Miller, age around 6 years.
- 07 Jan 1853 Died in this city Tuesday last, Dr. Zera T. Percival, at an advanced age.
- 07 Jan 1853- Died 27 December at Versailles, Franklin P. Shook, infant son of Charles and Harvenia A. Shook, age 3 months, 1 day.
- 13 May 1853- Died 8th ult., York township, Patrick Devier, age around 97. Resident of this county 40 years.
- 02 Sep 1853- Died 29th inst. Bianca Adolphine Emilie, daughter of Dr. H. Wedelstaedt, age 8 months.

### WESTERN COMMERCIAL Aurora, Indiana

- 30 Jan 1851- Died 20th inst. at Lawrenceburg, James Leonard. 60 years, 7 months, 10 days.
- 13 Feb 1851- Died 4 Feb, Alvira Chambers, 13th year.
- 13 Feb 1851- Died at residence of L. G. Hurlburt, Henrietta Conwell, age 18.
- 13 Mar 1851- Franklin County: Died at Stamford near Niagara Falls 10 December, George Sutton, age 64. Born Cheshire, England, to U.S. 1818; to Franklin County (New Trenton) 1820; to Cincinnati 1833; to Stamford 1840.
- 22 May 1851- Died 10th inst. Moores Hill, Elizabeth S., wife of D.A. Brooks, 30 years, 10 months, 21 days.

# THE INDEPENDENT PRESS Lawrenceburg, Indiana

- 03 Jan 1851- Drowned, when he fell off Steamer Mary Pell, Elias Conwell Lowe, son of George P. Lowe of Wilmington.
- 03 Jan 1851- Drowned at Keokuk when she fell from Steamer Martha No. 2, Mrs. Mary Rewland of Lawrenceburg. En route to visit relatives at Charleston, Iowa.
- 10 Jan 1851 Accidentally shot at a chivaree in Manchester township. Wednesday last, a 16 year old son of Mr. Wilcox.
- 10 Jan 1851- Died at Greenwood Valley, California 13 November 1850, William Dickinson, age 24, formerly of this city.
- 10 Jan 1851- Died this city 3rd inst. Nancy Porter, wife of A. O. Porter, age 25 years, 2 months, 26 days.
- 10 Jan 1851- Died 6th inst., Anne T., daughter of A. O. and Nancy Porter, 11 months 20 days.
- 24 Jan 1851- Died 18th inst. at home of his father in Wilmington, Samuel C. Reed, age 23. Baptist. Leaves father, mother, brothers and sisters.
- 24 Jan 1851- Died 29th inst., Mrs. Margaret Thornburg, 75th year. Came from Pennsylvania in 1811. Presbyterian.
- 07 Mar 1851- Died 27th ult. Miss Catherine Gage, native of New Jersey. Presbyterian.
- 11 Apr 1851- Died 7th inst. this city, Mrs. Parmelia Steel, consort of Warren Steel.
- 23 May 1851- Died 7th inst. at residence of father John Hall near Rising Sun, Robert Hall, 25th year.
- 06 Jun 1851- "The Dead of the Lawrenceburgh Institute": William Kauffman, son of Isaac Kauffman, 10 years, summer of 1849; Robert Hannah Dunn, father in California, spring 1850; Lewis Franklin Burroughs, fall 1850; Mary Catherine Shinn, 15th ult. in Jeffersonville.
- 21 Jun 1851- Died 4th inst, Mrs. Susannah Walker, daughter of James and Jane McCowan, wife of Robert H. Walker, at Havana, Mason Co., Illinois. Age 20. Walker a former Aurora resident.
- 21 Jun 1851- Died Sunday evening last, 2 1/2 year old son of John C. Moore, Moores Hill. Accidentally hanged.

- 21 Jun 1851-Died, Charles Durfee, former Lawrenceburg telegraph operator.
- 04 Jul 1851- Died 20th inst, Mrs. Lydia McPike, 48 years, consort of Judge McPike of Lawrenceburg, and second daughter of Captain Moses Guest of the Revolutionary Army (copied from the Alton Telegraph).
- 04 Jul 1851- Presumed drowned last Sunday, William Hazlett, Sparta township; fell from Steamer Forest Queen at Cincinnati wharf. Height 5' 6", light complexion, light hair, age about 25.
- 18 Jul 1851- Poem in memory of William Hulse. Mentions widow Margaret.
- Ol Aug 1851-Died 20th inst at residence of William Johnson, his daughter, Mrs. Harriett Gray, wife of Andrew J. Gray, age 25. Born in Lawrenceburg; Methodist.
- Ol Aug 1851- Died at Elizabethtown 31st (yesterday), Miss Eliza Mills, eldest surviving daughter of Isaac Mills, Esq.
- 22 Aug 1851- Text of funeral sermon delivered for Mahlon Hayes at Hardentown Church, Sunday.
- 22 Aug 1851- Died 15th inst after having been struck by a falling tree near Greensburg, Rev. H. J. Durbin, Methodist minister. Burial at Madison.
- 29 Aug 1851- Died Aug 26, at Guilford, William Young, a native of Scotland. Oddfellow; member Wesleyan Church of Scotland.
- 12 Sep 1851- Died 7th inst in this city, Mrs. Mildred A., consort of Thomas Wiley, in her 18th year. Methodist.
- 12 Sep 1851- Died 8th inst in this city, Miss Lucinda, daughter of Abram B. Adams, in her 27th year. Methodist.
- 12 Sep 1851- Died 8th inst near Wilmington, Loveday Spicknall, daughter of Thomas and Elizabeth Spicknall, in her 21st year.
- 12 Sep 1851- Died 8th inst, Jane E., wife of James Nesbitt, in her 28th year. Baptist.
- 19 Sep 1851- Died 15th inst, James R. Mills, son of Margaret and the late James Mills, in his 26th year, at Wilmington. Served in Mexican War.
- 19 Sep 1851- Died 15th in this city, of cholera, at the residence of her brother-in-law Mr. Nevers, Mrs. Lucinda Swimley, age 21. Husband in California.
- 19 Sep 1851- Died 17th inst at Manchester, of cholera, Sidney Denise, Methodist.

- 19 Sep 1851- Died llth inst, Matilda Jane, daughter of Harris and Therusa Wade, of this city. Infant.
- 26 Sep 1851- Died 20th inst of cholera at the residence of Mr.Parker a few miles north of Lawrenceburg, Mrs. Sarah, consort of James North of this city. Had been Baptist in England 40 years. Age 71, married 26 years.
- 24 Oct 1851- Died 22nd inst at the residence of H. K. Hobbs, Harry H. son of Dr. A. G. Hart of Boonville, Missouri. Age 3 years and 17 days.
- -24 Oct 1851- Died 22nd this city, Catherine Eliza, daughter of William and Anna Tate. Age 19 years, 4 months, and 4 days.
  - 26 Dec 1851- Died 22 December, Wallace C. L., son of Andrew and Martha Ross. Age 2 years, 11 months, and 14 days.
  - 23 Jan 1852- Died 21st inst, Emily, infant daughter of William and Mary Callihan, age 5 months.
  - 23 Jan 1852- Died 21st inst, Mrs. Mary Guard, consort of Mr. C. S. Stevenson of this city. Age 31 years, 10 months, 9 days.
  - 30 Jan 1852-Died 26 January at the residence of her mother in Harrison, Ann Louisa, daughter of Mary Tuttle, formerly of Lawrenceburg.
  - 20 Feb 1852- Died 14th inst, Virginia, infant daughter of John and Rebecca Gray. Age 11 1/2 months.
  - 03 Mar 1852- Died 28 February, Louisa, daughter of Jediah and Mary Scoggins.
  - 07 Apr 1852- Died 15th ult at the residence of Dr. Oglesby in Louisville, Joseph Oglesby, son of Joseph and America Hubbs, age 6 years, 7 months; died 20th ult, Rev. Joseph Oglesby, 82nd year.
  - 21 Apr 1852- Died 8th inst in Manchester township, Rev. Jacob Lanius of Mt. Carmel, Indiana, of pneumonia.
  - 21 Apr 1852- Died in Cincinnati following an operation, Silas Tyner of Brookville. Presbyterian.
  - 05 May 1852- Suicide, Putnam Co., Edward Holder, about 27. Native of Boone Co., Kentucky.
  - 12 May 1852- Tribute of respect, Masonic Lodge #4, for Robert Brazier. Left widow and children.
  - 12 May 1852- Died 6th inst, Charles Rouse, second son of Nelson and Eliza Rouse. Age 8 years, 10 months, 3 days.

- 19 May 1852- Died 17th inst at the home of his mother, after a long illness, Edwin P. Craig, age 22 years, 6 months.
- 19 May 1852-Died 3 November 1851 in Columbia, California, William McLean, eldest son of Rev. George Maley, Cincinnati. In his 28th year.
- 26 May 1852- Died 21st inst at Indianapolis, Robert Patterson, father-in-law of David Macy and Rev. James Hill.
- 16 Jun 1852- Died Monday morning last in this city, of cholera, Silas Truet, age about 23.
- 16 Jun 1852- Died Sunday morning last, in the vicinity of this city, of cholera, Granville Brown, formerly of Manchester. Age 21.
- 16 Jun 1852- Died at the residence of her son-in-law William Sayer, near Crittendon, Kentucky, Mrs. Elizabeth Theobald, mother of Dr. John P. Durbin of Philadelphia, and William S. Durbin, formerly of this city.
- 23 Jun 1852- Died at Petersburg, Kentucky, Edmund Crooker, clerk on the Steamer Forest Queen, of cholera.
- 14 Jul 1852- Died 12th inst at the home of her husband in Elizabethtown, Ohio, Mrs. DeLamater, wife of Rev. Mr. DeLamater.
- 21 Jul 1852- Drowned at Laurel, Henry Green.
- 28 Jul 1852- Died 19th inst near Troy, former resident William E. Craft; also another member of the family, Miss Fagan.
- 28 Jul 1852- Died in Cincinnati, Mrs. Lydia Frances, wife of Captain D. Collier, and sister of Miss Sampson of the Lawrenceburgh Institute.
- 04 Aug 1852- Coroner's Inquest: body of Joseph Braun, age 50, of Oberkirch, Baden, a weaver. Drowned.
- 04 Aug 1852- Died at her residence, Elizabethtown, Ohio, 21 July, Elizabeth Mills, age 75. Methodist.
- 11 Aug 1852- Died 5 August in this city, Mrs. Lucinda DeMoss, widow of the late John DeMoss, age 93. Husband a soldier of the Revolutionary War.
- 11 Aug 1852- Died Saturday last in this city, Mary Frances Bateman, infant daughter of Edgar and Elizabeth Bateman. Age 22 months.
- 11 Aug 1852 Died at Laurel, Mr. David Hazzard.
- 18 Aug 1852- Died at Hardensburgh, of cholera, Henry Hauser.

- 25 Aug 1852- Died 21st inst, in Manchester, William Ferris, son of Stephen and Alma Bundy. Age 2 years, 7 months.
- 25 Aug 1852- Died 14th inst, Almaira Jane, daughter of the same family.
- 25 Aug 1852- Died of cholera, wife of John Dodd, of Hardensburgh.
- 01 Sep 1852-Died 25 August, Melissa, daughter of Elias and Rachel Tenny. Age 1 year, 3 months.
- Ol Sep 1852- Died 14 Jun George Crozier of Miller township, en route to California, of cholera; in the Black Hills, 76 miles northwest of Ft. Laramie.
- 01 Sep 1852- Died, Mary Ann, daughter of W. W. Hibben, born 14 Sep 1837, Columbus, Indiana.
- 08 Sep 1852- Died last week at Georgetown Ridge, a son of L.C. Whipple; also a daughter of George W. Case.
- 22 Sep 1852- Died, Ezekiel and Emily, children of L. C. and Catherine Whipple.
- 22 Sep 1852- Died aboard the "Emily" off the Mexican coast, Cornelius Rowe of York Ridge.
- 29 Sep 1852- Died, York Ridge, Saturday last, George Hall, son of Thomas Hall. Age 22.
- 27 Oct 1852- Died 16th last, Miller township, of typhoid fever, Mrs. Catherine Whipple, wife of L. C. Whipple.
- 27 Oct 1852- Died Saturday in this city, David William, son of Daniel S. Major. Age 4 years, 9 months.
- 17 Nov 1852- Died 14th inst at his late residence in Miller township, John White, age 90. A native of Maryland, he moved to Pennsylvania as a child, and 60 years ago to North Bend, remaining there until the close of the Indian War. He died in a cabin he built himself 58 years ago, the third in that settlement.
- 04 Dec 1852- The funeral sermon for Captain George Dunn will be preached in the Methodist Church next Sabbath.
- 08 Dec 1852- Died 1 December, York county, Pennsylvania, William Chapman, age 70, grandfather of the editor (J. P. Chew).
- 08 Dec 1852- Died 2 December at his residence, Elizabethtown, Powell Clark, age 25, became ill on return from California. Leaves wife, three children.

- 15 Dec 1852- Died 4th inst at Lawrenceburg, Mrs. Mary Finkbine, wife of Rev. T. Finkbine, age 44. Methodist.
- 29 Dec 1852-Died Monday last in this city, Mrs. Hannah Crawford, wife of Rev. James Crawford, pastor of the M.E. Church. Age 27.
- 29 Dec 1852- Died Tuesday last of consumption, at the residence of her father Rev. Alfred Chambers, Boone Co., Kentucky, Mrs. Pamelia Snider. Age 22 years, 3 days.
- 12 Jan 1853 Died Thursday 3rd, at Manchester, James R. Howell. Age about 40.
- 02 Feb 1853- Died Saturday last in this city, Mr. Patterson Gray, a colored man. Age about 30.
- 02 Feb 1853 Elegy on the death of Gilbert Angevine by Judge Cotton. Drowned 26 July 1852 en route to California.
- 09 Feb 1853 Died Friday night in this city, William Godfrey. Age about 45.
- 09 Feb 1853- Died Monday last at the residence of William Johnson, "Aunt Becky", a respectable colored woman. Advanced age.
- 16 Feb 1853- Died 10th inst in this city, Miss Emily J. Kennedy, formerly of Bradford, Vermont. Age 28.
- 23 Feb 1853- Died Friday evening last in this city, George Ward of Aurora.
- 23 Feb 1853- Died Thursday last in this city, Mrs. Polly Slonager. Age 35.
- 02 Mar 1853 Died Monday last in this city, Isaac Simonton, age about 35. (Note: a correction 9 Mar states this was Nathaniel Simonton.)
- 02 Mar 1853 Died Monday last in this city Jethro Morris. Age about 40.
- 09 Mar 1853 Drowned in the American River at El Dorado 3 January, Allenton Warren, son of S. T. Warren of Manchester.
- 20 Apr 1853 Died 7th inst, Kelso township, Samuel Hodge. Leaves wife and children.
- 27 Apr 1853 Died 13th inst, Upper Manchester, Benjamin Tibbets, age 84. Native of Maine. To Indiana 1816-1817.
- 11 May 1853- Died Died 18th ult, Cynthiana, Kentucky, James W. Jones, formerly of Lawrenceburg. Age 20 years, 2 months, 8 days.
- 25 May 1853- Item concerning Angevine family: Mrs. Angevine

- originated in New York, moved some 30 years ago to York Ridge, had 11 children. Gilbert died last June. Eliza Angevine Rowe, late of Cincinnati, died recently.
- 25 May 1853 Died Saturday last, John Schumake, killed in a railroad accident.
- 01 Jun 1853- Drowned in the Ohio River near here, Jacob Garret. Age about 30.
- 15 Jun 1853 A child of Mr. Fox (the butcher) died Saturday. The only natural death in this city in months.
- 29 Jun 1853 Resolution of respect, Burns Lodge #35 F & A M, Manchester, on the death of Daniel Hall.
- 20 Jul 1853 Died 7th inst in Cincinnati, George Grove Shoup, who married Jane, daughter of Rev. J. Conwell, lived Franklin county. IOOF, Methodist.
- 27 Jul 1853- Died Wednesday last in this city Joseph Backert. Age about 45.
- 27 Jul 1853- Died 19th inst in Miller township, George Rowland, son of Henry G. and Sarah Jane Blasdel. Age about 7.
- 03 Aug 1853- Died Tuesday 19 Jul Pamelia, daughter of George W. and Lucy Ferguson. Age 22 months, 2 days.
- 03 Aug 1853 Died Wednesday morning last, Henry Clay, son of William and Sophia Carbaugh. Age about 9.
- 03 Aug 1853- Died 26th ult, Tobias Albert, son of William H. and Mary A. Finkbine. Age about 4.
- 10 Aug 1853 Died Monday last in this city, Charles McKnight. Age 50.
- 17 Aug 1853 Died 9th Aug in this city, Charles William, only son of William M. and Caroline Melissa Powell. Age 1 year, 18 days.
- 24 Aug 1853- On Manchester Road 15 miles from here and 7 miles from New Alsace, last week fire destroyed the house of Mr. Kissel. His granddaughter was killed. A few days later he was cleaning a well on the property, and drowned.
- 24 Aug 1853 Died 16th inst at Milton, Diadema Smith, age 51. Had lived with the family of Omer Tousey in this city.
- 31 Aug 1853 Died yesterday in this city, John Francis Dumont, son of Col. E. Dumont, age 4. Methodist.
- 31 Aug 1853 Died 8th inst at New Orleans of yellow fever, Volney Yager, formerly of Aurora.

- 14 Sep 1853 Died a few weeks ago, John Angevine.
- 14 Sep 1853 Died Last Saturday at the residence of his mother, Warren Wilson, in his 28th year. Methodist. Mason.
- 14 Sep 1853 Died Thursday last at the residence of Cyrus Armstrong in this city, of consumption, James A. Taylor. Age about 25.
- 21 Sep 1853 Died Monday last of croup, Wilson, son of William and Adaline Howell. Age 18 months.
- 28 Sep 1853 Died Saturday 25th, in this city, Mrs. Sarah, wife of William English and daughter of Abram B. and Sarah Adams, in her 31st year.
- 28 Sep 1853- Died 20th inst in this city, Mary, daughter of Isaiah McLeaster. Age 16.
- 28 Sep 1853 Died near this city Friday last, Charles Spooner. Age about 70.
- 05 Oct 1853 Killed in the collapse of a bridge under construction over the Miami River, Christopher Phillips of Rhode Island.
- 05 Oct 1853 Died Sunday in this city, of apoplexy, Mrs. Anna Tate, wife of William Tate. Age 55. Methodist.
- 05 Oct 1853 Died 25 September, Mrs. Abigail Miller, wife of Thomas Miller, Whitewater, Ohio.
- 05 Oct 1853 Died 30th ult near this city, John Murdock. Age 95.
- 05 Oct 1853- Died 31st ult, Fanny Coit, infant daughter of Philip and Lydia Spooner.
- 12 Oct 1853- Died at Cynthiana, Kentucky, Sarah Frances, daughter of James and Sarah Ann Jones, formerly of this city. Age 13 years, 4 months, 25 days.
- 12 Oct 1853- Obituary for Abigail Miller. Born 25 Dec 1791 on Grassy Creek, Pendleton Co., Kentucky. Mother died when she was two weeks old. A Methodist lady named Goodwin took charge of her. Moved to Hamilton, Ohio. At 16 she moved to the Great Miami bottoms. She married Thomas Miller.
- 16 Nov 1853 Died 8 November, Hillsboro, Ohio, John Hibben, in his 69th year. Father of Rev. W. W. Hibben, Rev. H. B. Hibben, and S. M. Hibben. Native of Pennsylvania, moved to Hillsboro 24 years ago. Methodist.
- 16 Nov 1853- Died Wednesday in this city, George Ross. Age about 50.

- 30 Nov 1853-Died 19th inst, Aurora, Miss Ellen Blair, assistant teacher at the high school. Native of New Hampshire. Methodist. In 20th year.
- 30 Nov 1853 Died 21st in this city, Cordelia, eldest daughter of Heiner and Clarinda Palmerton. Age 24 years, 9 months.
- 02 Dec 1853-Killed in explosion of Steamer Zachary Taylor, Thomas Doyle.
- 09 Dec 1853- Died Saturday last in this city, Mrs. Rebecca Ann Pierce, wife of Henry Pierce.

### INDEPENDENT BANNER Aurora, Indiana

- 12 Aug 1852-Died 13 June, at Green River, Utah Terr., James O. Lozier, of typhoid.
- 08 Sep 1852- Died at his residence, of cholera, Peter B. Vail, age 42. Baptist.
- 15 Sep 1852- Died at Petersburg, Kentucky, 10th inst., E. F. Brashier, age 35 years, 10 months.
- 15 Sep 1852- Died Monday last in this city, Phillip Horr.
- 29 Sep 1852- Resolution of respect, Dearborn Bar Association, in memory of Clinton P. Craig, a member who died en route to California.
- 29 Sep 1852- Died at the home of his mother, Ohio Co., Bush, son of Sallie Speakman, age 6.
- 27 Oct 1852- Died, Captain George Dunn, Lawrenceburg, at Greenwood, Calfornia, 4 Sep, of cholera.
- 15 Dec 1852- Died in this city 6th inst of scarlet fever, Sarah Elizabeth Bailie, age 3 years, 8 months, 2 days.
- 22 Dec 1852- Coroner's Inquest: body of Catharine Smith, found dead at her residence 18 December. Death by intemperance.
- 2 Feb 1853 Died this city, 22nd inst, Binchen, daughter of A. Epstein, age 3 years, 6 months, 5 days.
- 9 Mar 1853 Died Sabbath last, Harriet Frances, infant daughter of John and Rachel Weaver.
- 23 Mar 1853 Died 16th inst, Ellen Alvira, daughter of Levi and Maria Stevens, age 1 year, 7 months, 9 days.
- 23 Mar 1853 Died 20th inst, of scarlet fever, James, son of Maria Snyder, age 2 years, 2 months, 9 days.
- 20 Apr 1853 Died 8th inst, George Perkins, age 15 months; 10th inst, Eliza Jane Perkins, age 17, both of scarlet fever. Mother and child. Methodist.
- 4 May 1853 Died Sunday evening last, this city, Adelia Andrews, wife of Austin Andrews.
- 11 May 1853 Died 5th inst of scarlet fever, at the residence of Capt. M. Trester, Maria Schultz, age 1 year.

- 18 May 1853- Died 12th inst of consumption, Miss Bethena Johnson, in her 19th year.
- 18 May. 1853 Died, Harriet, daughter of John and Sarah Stockman, age 8 years, 4 months, 17 days.
- 13 Jul 1853 Died 12th inst, Boone Co., Ky., Joseph Norris, after a long illness.
- 20 Jul 1853- Obituary for Joseph Norris: born Maryland, 29 July 1788; moved to Nelson Co., Ky. with his father; married Susanna Crosby in 1811; to Boone Co. opposite Aurora in 1819. Leaves widow, two sons, five daughters, 12 grandchildren. His father Captain Joseph Norris died in Greensburgh 5 years hence. Mother still living at age 95.
- 24 Aug 1853- Died 19 Aug Mrs. Mary E. Knapp, consort of G. O. Knapp, of New York City.
- 24 Aug 1853- Died in San Francisco within the last year, Charles Fairchild.
- 07 Sep 1853- Died 3rd inst, Charles Richard, son of Dr. Richard C. and Eliza Bevan Bond, scalded to death. Age 3 years, 1 month, 13 days.
- 21 Sep 1853 Died 6th inst at Natchez, Mississippi, of yellow fever, J. H. Rawling, in his 19th year.
- 09 Nov 1853 Died 7th inst of lung fever, Miss Caroline Gaff, eldest daughter of Thomas and Sarah Gaff.
- 30 Nov 1853 Coroner's Inquest: body of James Sears, found in the Ohio River 23 November. Drowned.
- 18 Jan 1854- Died 12th inst at the McCormick House, George H. Dunn, in his 56th year.
- 18 Jan 1854- Died at his residence near Wilmington Thursday morning last, Daniel Conaway.
- 01 Feb 1854- Resolution of Respect: Aurora Lodge #51, F. & A.M., on death of Edward S. Grotirant.
- 15 Feb 1854- Died 9th inst, Eliza Jane, daughter of William and Margaret Stark. Age 3 years, 4 months.
- 01 Mar 1854- Died 20 Feb of lung fever, Frank Stevens, son of Rev. S. P. and Mrs. E. E. Crawford. Age 13 years, 8 days. Indianapolis.
- 08 Mar 1854- Died 3rd inst, Nelson Folore, editor of the "Banner". Born Muskingum Co., Ohio 26 April 1824, to Aurora 1826. Father died of cholera in 1833. Brother Dr. Samuel Folore born Aurora 5 May 1827, died Arkansas 20 January.

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- 04 Jan 1854- Died at Rising Sun, a colored man named Moore. Killed by Isaac Hunt, who is held on a charge of manslaughter.
- 11 Jan 1854- Died 29 December at Wilmington, James Brown, late of Paducah, Kentucky. In his 74th year. Mason.
- 18 Jan 1854- Died 12th inst at the McCormick House, George H. Dunn. Had resided here since 1817. Member of the Indiana House of Representatives, Indiana Senate, president of the Lawrenceburg Branch Bank in 1844, Judge.
- 25 Jan 1854- Died yesterday, this city, Josiah, infant son of Josiah and Lebarky Rewland. Age 11 months, 3 days.
- 01 Feb 1854- Died Friday morning in this city, James Mathews. Age 18.
- 08 Feb 1854- Died Thursday morning, Hannah Ann, wife of Reuben Moore. Age 42.
- 08 Feb 1854- Died 4th inst, Rising Sun, Mrs. C. N. Eades, wife of T. T. Eades of this city. Age 18.
- 08 Feb 1854- Died Monday last in this city, Capt. Thomas Porter, at a very advanced age. Soldier in the War of 1812, wounded. Father of Albert G. Porter.
- 01 Mar 1854-Died, 16 February, Mary Ann Howes Ewing, wife of Dr. R. H. Ewing. Born 21 March 1828, Hopewell, N.Y.
- 22 Mar 1854- Died Thursday 16th, this city, Harris Fitch. Age 60.
- 19 Apr 1854-Died Monday last, this city, Miss Caroline Rich, age 27. Funeral at residence of Elijah Rich. Presbyterian.
- 17 May 1854- Died Monday last, this city, Miss Margaret M. Garrison, age 18. Funeral at Belleview Methodist Church.
- 24 May 1854-Died 2 May at Laurel, Franklin Co., Thirza Vanduzen, in her 63rd year. Born Baltimore, Maryland.
- 24 May 1854- Died 13 May at Versailles, Mrs. Margaret E. Stagg, consort of J. B. Stagg, in her 24th year.
- 07 Jun 1854- Died Saturday last in Rising sun, Mrs. Harriet Cullen, wife of John Cullen, burned while filling a lamp.
- 07 Jun 1854- Died Wednesday last in Indianapolis, an infant son of William M. McCarty.

- 07 Jun 1854- Died 23 May this city, an infant son of William F. Carbaugh.
- 07 Jun 1854- Died Tuesday last, John B. son of George B. Sheldon.
- 14 June 1854- Died, Aurora, Isaac Green, accidentally killed by Joshua F. Hancock.
- 05 Jul 1854- Died at Equality, Illinois, at the residence of his father, Leed G. Moore, formerly of this county.
- 05 Jul 1854- Died 8th ult, at Cedar Grove, Franklin Co., Sarah Elizabeth Cooley. In her 16th year.
- 05 Jul 1854- Died 21st ult, Brookville, John B. Chapman, in his 60th year.
- 12 Jul 1854- Died 9th inst in Lawrenceburg, John Gray, in his 71st year. Emigrated with his father's family at the close of the last century. Moved to Kentucky, returned to Lawrenceburg in 1804 to attend school. Went into business with John H. and Benjamin Piatt here. Following a fire which destroyed the business he went to Cincinnati with John H. Piatt to enter business. He returned here again. He was twice married, his second wife a daughter of Judge Livingston. She survives him.
- 12 Jul 1854- Died 10 July Martin Green, a native of Ireland.
- 19 Jul 1854- Died this morning in this city, Mrs. Mary Eliza Ewing, wife of Mr. Henry Ewing
- 19 Jul 1854-Died 9th inst in Aurora, Isaac Cochran, age 75. Had lived in Dearborn County 75 years. Baptist.
- 26 Jul 1854- Died Friday last in this city, William English, age 40. Born England. Wife died less than a year ago.
- 26 Jul 1854- Died 21st inst, Mrs. Frances Graham wife of D. A. Graham, age 35.
- 26 Jul 1854- Died ll July at the residence of his mother in Cincinnati, David S. Johnson, formerly of Lawrenceburg. Age 29 years, 10 months.
- 26 July 1854- Died 16th inst in Rising Sun, Mary Ann Williams, daughter of John B. and Mary Craft, wife of Garret Williams. Age 20 years, 6 months, 20 days.
- 02 Aug 1854- Died Friday last this city, William Baker, age about 30. Worked at Brown and Tate's factory. Leaves wife and three children.
- 02 Aug 1854- Died 14th inst at Rushville, Mrs. Mary Sneed, consort of

- W. C. S. Sneed, in her 26th year.
- 02 Aug 1854- Died 25th inst near Versailles, at the residence of her father, Miss Sarah Gray, in her 16th year.
- 09 Aug 1854- Died yesterday in this city, Caroline, daughter of Frederick M. and Emily J. Meurer. Age 5.
- 09 Aug 1854- Died 28th ult in this city Emily Jane Francis, daughter of Thomas and Mary Ann Francis, age 3 years, 1 month.
- 09 Aug 1854 Died yesterday morning in this city, Mary, daughter of Joseph and Mary Bookwalter. Age about 3.
- 09 Aug 1854- Died Wednesday in Indianapolis, Mrs. Margaret Ray, wife of James M. Ray. Age 41.
- 16 Aug 1854-Died Thursday last in this city, Arabella, daughter of Robert and Rachel A. Patton. Age about 6.
- 16 Aug 1854- Died Wednesday last, William, son of Joseph and Mary Bookwalter. Age 4.
- 16 Aug 1854 Died Thursday last, Mary Rebecca, only daughter of Dr. John G. Dunn. Age about 1 year.
- 23 Aug 1854-Murdered, Tanner's Creek, three miles from here, William Wells, a colored man, Sabbath afternoon. Allegedly by Nicholas Evans. Seven year old son was a witness.
- 23 Aug 1854- Coroner's Inquest: body of Dennis Drisque; apparently of natural causes.
- 23 Aug 1854- Died Saturday 19th at her residence near here, Mrs. Pamela Tate, wife of Edward Tate. Age 32 years, 7 months, 13 days.
- 23 Aug 1854-Died 12th inst at her residence 6 miles south of Rushville, Mrs. Celia Winship, wife of Jesse Winship, Sr. Age 62.
- 30 Aug 1854-Died 4 August, Eliza W., only daughter of Lewis G. and Emma L. Hurlburt. Age 2 years, 6 months, 8 days.
- 30 Aug 1854- Died 27th at the home of his father near Lawrenceburg, Charles Deems, son of William and Matilda McCullough. Age 4 years, 10 months, 26 days.
- 30 Aug 1854- Died 18th inst, the infant son of William and Mary Laird. Age 22 months, 14 days.
- 20 Sep 1854- Died in California, Jacob Ewing, in his 30th year. Born Cincinnati 1818. Moved here in 1840. Married 1848 a daughter of Col. A. Ferris. Leaves mother and two sisters (one is Mrs. Jabez Ferris). Had no children.

- 20 Sep 1854- Shooting at the Rossville Exchange: John Kierch dead, George Zimmerman and a boy named John Smith were wounded.
- 27 Sep 1854- Killed in a buggy accident, Mrs. Warren West.
- 27 Sep 1854- Died Tuesday in this city, Reese Albert Grant, son of William and Emily Grant. Age about 5.
- 27 Sep 1854- Died Sunday last at Moores Hill, William R. Wade, husband of Nancy Alexander of this city.
- 04 Oct 1854- Died 27th inst at Indianapolis, Sarah H. Fletcher, wife of Calvin Fletcher, Esq.
- 04 Oct 1854- Died 21 September in Terre Haute, Cary, infant son of Joseph and Ann Elizabeth Wright., formerly of this city. Age 7 months, 4 days.
- 11 Oct 1854- Died Thursday last in this city, Jabez Sherwood, son of J. S. and Martha Ann Ferris. Age 6 months, 25 days.
- 25 Oct 1854-Died 16th inst in this city, Mrs. Elizabeth Fitch. Age 94.
- 25 Oct 1854- Died 18th October at her residence near Wilmington, Mrs. Eliza Torbet, consort of Dr. N. H. Torbet.
- 25 Oct 1854- Died recently at Dillsboro, a son of Col. J. W. Eggleston. Age 21 or 22.
- 01 Nov 1854-Killed in a railroad accident, an Irishman named McGraw, near the Miami Bridge.
- 08 Nov 1854- Died 26 October in this city, Edgar Bateman. Age about 33. IOOF.
- 08 Nov 1854- Died 30th inst in Cincinnati, William Morrison, son of Jacob Morrison, Esq. of Aurora. Age 50.
- 13 Dec 1854- Died 6 December in Cincinnati, Frank Durham, only son of Howard and Rebecca Jane Durham.
- 20 Dec 1854- Died last evening in this city, Edward Coke Ryman, son of John and Minerva Jane Ryman. Age 6.
- 20 Dec 1854- Died 10 December in this city, Mary Hammond Vail, daughter of John and Mary Ann Vail. Age 6.
- 20 Dec 1854- Died 17 November at the residence of Augustus Miller, Palmyra, Rush co., Jesse Winship, Sr. In his 78th year.

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- 24 Feb 1854- Died 16 February at the home of George P. Buell, Esq., Mary Ann Howes Ewing, wife of Dr. R. H. Ewing. Born Hopewell, N.Y.
- 12 May 1854- Died 22 April at the home of her mother, Miss Adelpha Mahoney. Age 23 years, 2 months, 8 days.
- 16 Jun 1854- Died 10 June at his residence near Petersburg, Boone Co., Ky., William Berkshire. Cholera.
- 1 Dec 1854- Died 17 November in this city, Samuel Ogden. In his 56th year.
- 29 Dec 1854- Died at the home of George Buell, Mary Lane, widow of Amos Lane.
- 12 Jan 1855 Died at Yorkville, Benjamin Perrine. Age 42.
- 12 Jan 1855 Died 4th inst in Rising Sun at the home of Maxfield Huston, Dr. David Fisher.
- 19 Jan 1855- Died 2nd inst at Troy, Ind. Amaziah P. Hubbs.
- 19 Jan 1855 Died 11th inst at Indianapolis, Mrs. Rebecca, consort of Douglas Maguire.
- 26 Jan 1855 Died 12th inst at Vevay, Daniel Dufour. Age 86 years, 11 months.
- 26 Jan 1855 Died last Wednesday at the home of his father-in-law William Brown, Edward Tobin. Came to this country at the age of two; lived in New York. For the past two or three years in charge of Messrs. William G. Dunn & Co., machinists. Age 27.
- 26 Jan 1855- Died Tuesday at the Mansion House, Aurora, Thomas J. Cloud. Age about 20.
- 26 Jan 1855- Died Monday last in Aurora, Thomas Ebenezer, son of James H. and Mary Langtree. Age 7.
- 26 Jan 1855 Died 17th inst in Manchester, Samuel McKinstry, Sr. Age about 68.
- 09 Feb 1855- Died Tuesday afternoon in this city, Thomas Palmer, former County Recorder. Age about 79.
- 16 Feb 1855- "From the Western Christian Advocate": Mary Lane, widow of Amos Lane, mother of Capt. John Lane and J.H. Lane, died at the

- home of her son-in-law George Buell 27 December 1854 in her 77th year. Born Watertown, Conn., 24 January 1778. In spring of 1798 maried Mr. House. He died within a year. On 4 January 1806 in Ogdensburg, N.J. she married Amos Lane. Arrived Cincinnati 1 March 1808 when there were only three brick houses there. Opened a school in Boone Co., Ky. to Lawrenceburg in 1814.
- 16 Feb 1855- Died 8th inst at Guilford, Heuston, son of Charles R. and Catherine Campbell. Age 8 months.
- 16 Feb 1855 Died Saturday evening last, William Howell.
- 16 Feb 1855- Obituary of Thomas Palmer: born Ireland. Mason.
- 23 Feb 1855 Died at Newtown, James Sherrod, son of Capt. J. Sherrod. Age 4.
- 23 Mar 1855- Died Thursday at Moores Hill, John H. Dowden. Age 34. Leaves wife and two small children.
- 23 Mar 1855- Died three weeks ago at the residence of Thomas Cone, Ripley Co., Isaac W. Ferris of Manchester, of small pox. Age 26. Had recently returned from California.
- 23 Mar 1855- Died Thursday 15th at the home of his son Thomas, William Purcell. Came from New Jersey 1806. (Dateline Harrison).
- 30 Mar 1855- Died 22 March Stephen Ludlow. Born 5 May 1777, father was John Ludlow. Uncles Israel and William Ludlow came to Northwest Territory 1790 to Ludlow's Station. At 18 Stephen was a chain carrier for his uncle Israel. Moved to Lawrenceburg 1810. Partner of Judge Isaac Dunn. Twice married: two sons by first wife, Oliver and John; leaves widow and five small children.
- 30 Mar 1855 Died last Sabbath, Miss Sarah Johnson, daughter of William Johnson. Age 17. A sister died earlier this year.
- 30 Mar 1855 Died Friday last in Lawrenceburg, Ralph Hollister, son of Russell Hollister.
- 30 Mar 1855- Died Friday last in Columbus, Ohio Wallace Skinner, formerly from here.
- 30 Mar 1855- Died at Guilford, John Hawxwell.
- 13 Apr 1855-Died 5th inst at New Albany, Miss Lucy A., eldest daughter of Milton and Lucy Gregg. Age 20 years, 8 months, 14 days.
- 13 Apr 1855- Died 3 April at Harrison, Ohio John K. Berg, of consumption. Age 21.
- 13 Apr 1855- Died 25 Mar in New Orleans, of heart disease, Mrs. Tabitha Twiggs, wife of Maj. Gen. Twiggs, U.S.Army.

- 13 Apr 1855 Died Monday, Eddie Tobin, daughter of Edward M. and Merium Tobin. Age 6 weeks, 2 days.
- 13 Apr 1855- Died 4 April at the home of her son-in-law Mr. Knapp, at Cambridge, Ind., Mrs. Heuston, in her 89th year. Her husband survives and is quite active. Married 60 years. He was a teamster in the Northwest Army in the late war with Great Britain and will be entitled to 160 acres of land under the bounty land bill.
- 13 Apr 1855 Died Sabbath last at the National Hotel in this city, Samuel Snyder. Member IOOF and Good Templars. Burial at Moores Hill where his mother lives.
- 27 Apr 1855- Died Monday afternoon in Lawrenceburg, Mrs. Delilah Reed, wife of James Reed. Age about 23. Maiden name was Akers; married less than a year.
- 27 Apr 1855-Died 20th inst at his residence in Harrison, Palmer Wood. Pneumonia.
- 04 May 1855- Died Sunday in Miller township Benjamin Crozier, of a broken neck in a fall.
- 01 Jun 1855- Resolution of Respect: Dearborn County Bar Association on death of Strange Dunn.
- 01 Jun 1855- Died in Rising Sun, Catharine Keith, wife of William Keith, in her 60th year.
- 01 Jun 1855- Died Sunday morning in this city of consumption, Josiah Rewland. Age about 40.
- 08 Jun 1855- Died Friday morning at Harrison, of congestion of the brain, William, infant son of William S. and Sarah A. Marsh.
- 08 Jun 1855- Died Sunday morning last near Logan Crossroads, of pneumonia, Effie, infant and only daughter of M. and M. Swales.
- 08 Jun 1855- Supposed drowned, George son of Jacob Lowe. Age 6.
- 15 Jun 1855- Died 8th inst at his residence in Clay township, David McKittrick, in his 71st year. One of the first settlers. Soldier in War of 1812.
- 15 Jun 1855- Died 11th inst at his residence in Washington township, John Wilson. Age 54.
- 22 Jun 1855 Died 17 June, Manchester township, Miss Polly, daughter of Thomas Ehler.
- 06 Jul 1855- Died early Sunday in Cincinnati, William Heustis, of this county since early youth. Had arrived from St. Louis a few days

- before. Cholera.
- 03 Aug 1855 Coroner's Inquest: body of John Greenwalt, drowned in the Whitewater River.
- 17 Aug 1855- Coroner's Inquest: body of David Frieberger. Drowned in the Ohio River.
- 31 Aug 1855 Coroner's Inquest: body supposed to be of James Cunant. Carried discharge from the War of 1812, 19th Regt. U.S. Inf. Drowned in Ohio River 27 Aug.
- 05 Oct 1855- Died 28th ult in Manchester, at the home of his son A.H. Jumper, Joseph Jumper. Age 67. Widower. Son George B. went to California.
- 12 Oct 1855- Died Sabbath morning 7th inst Dr. David Robers, in his 60th year.
- 26 Oct 1855- Died Sunday morning last at Wilmington, Elizabeth Lawrence, wife of Warren H. Lawrence.
- 02 Nov 1855 Died at the residence of her father William White in Florida, Mo., Lucy J. Hunter, wife of Dr. W. D. Hunter, of Mexico, Mo. Dr. Hunter was born and raised in this county.
- 16 Nov 1855 Died Friday in Aurora, Jacob Morrison, Esq. Burial in Cincinnati.
- 30 Nov 1855 Died 12 November in Rising Sun, Isabella, wife of Maj. James M. Jelley. Age 67.
- 14 Dec 1855- Coroner's Inquest: body of Andrew McGuire, thrown off the Steamboat Telegraph No. 3. Also an unknown man, same verdict. 10 December.

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- 10 Jan 1855-Died 11 December last at Kankakee, Ill., Mrs. Almira G. True, wife of Abram True. Age about 55. Moved to Illinois from Manchester township about four years ago.
- 17 Jan 1855- Died Friday last in this city, Catherine Mead Tobin, daughter of John and Sophia Tobin. Age about 5.
- 31 Jan 1855- Died 24th inst, Manchester, Mrs. Eliza Wilcox, wife of Peter C. Wilcox, on her 19th wedding anniversary. Age 41. Daughter of old Mother Noyes who is 81 years old.
- 31 Jan 1855 Died Friday last in this city, Mrs. Susan L. Baldridge, wife of George Baldridge. In her 22nd year.
- 31 Jan 1855 Died 26 January, Lawrenceburg township, Thomas Townsend, in his 75th year. Born Maine, to Columbia with his father in 1792. To this county in 1809. Baptist.
- 31 Jan 1855- Died 18th inst Manchester township, Samuel McKinster. Advanced age.
- 31 Jan 1855- Died 18th inst Manchester township, Miss Lydia McCoy. Age 18.
- 31 Jan 1855- Died Sunday night last in Harrison, Ulick, son of Benjamin Green.
- 14 Feb 1855- Died in Aurora, Thomas Cloud, Helena Bitner, Thomas Langtree, all Methodists, last week.
- 14 Feb 1855 Died 30th ult in Aurora, Abram Brower, son of Dr. A.B. and Julia P. Hanes. Age 2 years, 8 months, 17 days.
- 21 Feb 1855- Died 16th ult at the residence of his father in Florence, Pa., David Riddle, formerly of Aurora.
- 14 Mar 1855 Drowned at Rising Sun, Henry B. Newman, Ohio County Recorder.
- 14 Mar 1855 Died 9th inst, Aurora, a German named Fisher. Age 19.
- 21 Mar 1855- Died 15th inst at the home of her son J. Ashby, Esq. in Harrison, Mrs. Ashby. Age about 81. Came here in 1803 from New Jersey. Husband died 1823.
- 21 Mar 1855- Died 15th inst Sparta, James Russell, ruling elder of the new Presbyterian Church.

- 21 Mar 1855 Died 14th inst in this city, Elizabeth Sanks, wife of Rezin R. Sanks, daughter of John F. Richards. Age about 19.
- 28 Mar 1855- Died 5th inst near Aurora, David C. Hope. Age 62 years, 5 months.
- 28 Mar 1855 Died Saturday last at Yorkville, Harmon Benson. Age 50. Mason. Leaves wife.
- 28 Mar 1855- Died 7 January, six miles east of Havana, Ill., Mary Jane Hopping, daughter of Alexander Hopping. Moved to Illinois a few years since.
- 28 Mar 1855 Died 24 March in Aurora, an infant daughter of James Rider.
- 04 Apr 1855- Died Friday last at Wilmington, infant son of Mr. E. Sherman, clerk of the Forest Queen.
- 11 Apr 1855 Died 27 March, one and a half miles north of Harrison, Isaac Metzar (Metlar?). Age 79.
- 11 Apr 1855- Died Saturday last at New Haven, Ohio, Col. William Wakefield.
- 02 May 1855 Died in Miller township, Benjamin Conner.
- 09 May 1855- Died 7 May in Lawrenceburg, Jane E. Sparks, wife of Norval Sparks, in her 50th year.
- 09 May 1855- Died 4th inst, in Lawrenceburg, Eleanor Mattocks, relict of the late William Mattocks, in her 58th year. Baptist.
- 09 May 1855 Died Monday in Lawrenceburg, Woodson Kidd, son of James and Frances Wright. Age 3.
- 09 May 1855- Died at Rushville, George W. Hargitt.
- 09 May 1855- Drowned at Vincennes, Anthony Powell, son of Nathan Powell. His older brother Vance Powell drowned a few years since near Memphis, Tenn.
- 16 May 1855 Obituary for George Hargitt. Born Dearborn Co. 4 March 1829. Died at the residence of his brother William.
- 23 May 1855- Died Tuesday 22 May at his residence, Strange S. Dunn, son of Judge Isaac Dunn, brother of John P. Dunn, late Auditor of State of Indiana, graduate of Indiana Asbury University. Lawyer. Leaves wife and several children.
- 23 May 1855- Died 22nd inst in this city, Lewis Slonager. Age 32.
- 23 May 1855- Died Sunday last in Lawrenceburg, John Zimmerman. Age

- 23 May 1855- Died Sabbath last, in Manchester township, Mrs. Crawford, mother of Rev. S.P. Crawford, at an advanced age.
- 13 Jun 1855- Drowned, a son of Jacob Lowe of this city. Fell from a flatboat at the wharf. Age about 5.
- 27 Jun 1855 Died in Rising Sun, Mrs. Margaret H. wife of David S. Rabb. Age 37.
- 27 Jun 1855- Died 21 June in this city, John Wesley Chambers. Age 24 years, 10 months.
- 11 Jul 1855- Died 2 July, Ripley, Ohio, Miss Margaret McCracken, in her 22nd year. Burial in the family graveyard in Manchester.
- 11 Jul 1855- Died 2 July in Harrison, Jonathan, infant son of M. and M.J. Rittenhouse.
- 18 Jul 1855 Died Sabbath last, Jamestown, Ky., William Barnes, formerly of this city. Age about 23.
- 18 Jul 1855- Died Sabbath last at the residence of her son-in-law Dewit C. Fitch, Mrs. Nancy Hayes, wife of Walter Hayes.
- 25 Jul 1855- Died Wednesday morning in this city, Mary Frances, youngest daughter of Jason C. and Mary Jane Ludlow. Age 18 months.
- 25 Jul 1855- Died 24th inst in Manchester township, Miss Eliza True, daughter of the late Reuben True. Age about 24.
- 01 Aug 1855 Died 14th inst, Maria M. Scobey, wife of John S. Scobey. Age 31.
- 01 Aug 1855 Died 26th inst at Manchester, William Barton, suddenly. An old resident.
- 01 Aug 1855- Died 28th inst, Ripley Co., Richard Robbins, formerly of Manchester township.
- 01 Aug 1855- Died 26 June, at the residence of her brother-in-law J. T. Camble of Aurora, Lizzie T. Jones. Age 18.
- 08 Aug 1855- Drowned, an elderly man named Frieberger, had lived in this city some time. En route to Cincinnati for his daughter's wedding, fell from the wharf boat and drowned Monday night.
- 22 Aug 1855 Died 16th inst, Aurora, Robert K. Baker. Age 34, leaves wife and children.
- 22 Aug 1855- Died 26th inst at his residence in Westport, Decatur Co., Samuel H. Dowden. Age 68.

- 22 Aug 1855- Died 18th inst at Rising Sun, Sarah B., wife of John H. Jones. In her 35th year. Methodist.
- 05 Sep 1855-Died 21st a few miles from Petersburg, Ky. Manlius Allen. Killed in a farm accident.
- 05 Sep 1855-Died last week in Hamilton, Ohio, Miss Mary Eliza Hargitt. Age about 12.
- 05 Sep 1855- Died Sunday last, Lawrenceburg, Mrs. Zimmerman. At an advanced age.
- 05 Sep 1855- Died Saturday last at Indianapolis, Mary Frances, youngest daughter of Ellis W. and Sharelda Brown. Age 5 or 6.
- 19 Sep 1855 Obituary for Mary Eliza Hargitt, daughter of Robert and Jane Hargitt. Age 19 years, 5 months. Died 19 August at Hamilton. Ohio. Born Dearborn Co. Moved to Hamilton four years ago.
- 19 Sep 1855- Died 11 September at Aurora, Cora J. Watkins, infant daughter of Noble and Eliza J. Bush. Age 15 months.
- 03 Oct 1855- Obituary for Edward Tate, died 21 September at the residence of his father William Tate. In his 38th year. Native of Lawrenceburg. Married Pamelia Sanford, she died August 1854. Three daughters. Methodist.
- 03 Oct 1855 Died at North Bend, Rachel Smith. Age 28.
- 10 Oct 1855- Died Sunday last, Newtown, John Green. Lockjaw.
- 17 Oct 1855- Obituary for Rev. Demas Moss, died 6th inst in his 66th year. Children Andrew and Jane.
- 17 Oct 1855- Died of injuries when a cannon exploded, Friday last, Joseph Mattox. Age 24 years, 11 months, 5 days. Supported an aged mother and several sisters.
- 21 Nov 1855-Died at the residence of his brother near this city Thursday last, John Rees, in his 45th year. Born this county, spent last 8 or 9 years in New Orleans.
- 21 Nov 1855 died 7 November, Edward, son of James and Eliza Cooper. Age 7.
- 21 Nov 1855- Died 13 November at the residence of his brother W. Jessup, Esq., Daniel Jessup, formerly of New York state.
- 21 Nov 1855-Died 17 November, Wallace, infant son of M and M.C. Snow.
- 21 Nov 1855 Died Saturday last at the residence of her son James,

Mrs. Clark, mother of John and James Clark. Manchester.

28 Nov 1855- Resolution of condolence on death of William Lowe. (Mason). Died 26 th inst.

05 Dec 1855- Died 20th ult at the residence of his son Abram Rowland, Benjamin Rowland. Age 81 years, 9 months, 8 days. Born Lancaster Co., Pa., 1774. Moved to Virginia 1795. On visit to his son when he died.

26 Dec 1855- Died at New Orleans, W. W. Conaway. Body will be returned to Aurora for burial.

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- 25 Jan 1856- Died 11th inst, Washington township, Elkhart Co., John Proctor, Sr., a Revolutionary soldier. Age 103 years, 11 months.
- 01 Feb 1856- Died 5 January, Galesburg, Ill., Francis McDonough, formerly of Rising Sun. War of 1812 veteran.
- 08 Feb 1856- Died Died Thursday in this city, of consumption, Elizabeth Skelton. Age about 26.
- 08 Feb 1856- Died 3 February at Greensburgh, John Thompson. Age 59. Born Bourbon Co., Ky. 26 Mar 1796. To Decatur Co., Ind. 1823.
- 14 Mar 1856 Died last Tuesday, llth, Walnut Hills, (Cincinnati), Isaac G. Burnett. Age 72. Lawyer, mayor of Cincinnati for 13 years.
- 04 Apr 1856 Died 24 March at St. Louis, of consumption, Charlotte Vail, wife of P. M. Vail, Esq. Died 29 March, of consumption, P. M. Vail. Age 28. Born and reared Dearborn Co., graduate of Bloomington University 1849. Lawyer.
- 18 Apr 1856- Died 14th, of consumption, Amanda J., wife of Judge Samuel Perkins. Age 36.
- 18 Apr 1856-Died 5th inst of consumption, Mrs. Mary Burkham, wife of Elzy G. Burkham, daughter of Joseph Hayes. In her 41st year. Methodist.
- 23 May 1856-Died Sunday near Guilford, Catherine O'Flanagan. Fell from a handcar.
- 27 Jun 1856-Killed last Tuesday when circus horses broke loose, John Buckles.
- 27 Jun 1856- Coroner's Inquest: body of Solomon Miller. Fell from Aurora bridge onto a flat boat.
- 11 Jul 1856-Died 7 July near Lawrenceburg, Charles Edward Eugene, son of Joseph Groff. Age 2 years, 1 month.
- 11 Jul 1856- Died Tuesday 8th in this city, James Nesbit. Age about 35. Wife and one child.
- 18 Jul 1856- Died at Guilford, Wednesday last, Rhoda H., wife of Allen K. Campbell. Leaves husband, three children. Age 31.
- 01 Aug 1856 Died of consumption 20 July at Harrison, Ohio, George W. McCracken. Born Manchester. Age 37 years, 12 days. Burial at Sugar Grove Cemetery.

- 22 Aug 1856-Died yesterday at his residence, Robert Bryant, an old and respected citizen.
- 05 Sep 1856-Run over by a train, Daniel Sowers, brakeman on the I & C RR.
- 05 Dec 1856 Died 25 November at Harrison, Alvin C. Tebbs, Esq., son of Maj. Warren Tebbs. Born 7 April 1818. Leaves wife and children.
- 05 Dec 1856-Died 20 November at Indianapolis, Eleanor Wilson, wife of William H. Wilson, daughter of Abner J. and Mary Dill. Born Manchester. Age 22 years, 9 months, 3 days.
- 05 Dec 1856 Died Sunday, Manchester Pike, Samuel Barkdoll. Age about 56.

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- 02 Jan 1856- Died 1st inst this city, of consumption, John Russel Coval. Age about 24.
- 09 Jan 1856-Died 22 December, at the residence of his brother in Switzerland Co., John Hendrixon, after a short illness, inflammation of the brain. Age 24.
- 09 Jan 1856- Died at the residence of A. F. Gage, New Year's Day, his father Ellis Gage. Age 82 years 1 month.
- 16 Jan 1856-Died 6th inst at Aurora, Thomas Bailey, son of William Bailey of Ripley Co. Age 18.
- 23 Jan 1856- Died Saturday last at Cambridge, Mrs. Dawson, widow of John Dawson, deceased.
- 30 Jan 1856- Died Sabbath evening last at Indianapolis, Mrs. Fannie J. Robinson, wife of Joseph R. Robinson, daughter of the late Hon. George H. Dunn of this city. Episcopalian. Burial here.
- 30 Jan 1856- Died 25th inst at the Anderson House, Joseph Hitch, late of Summerset Co., Md. Sister in Aurora.
- 30 Jan 1856- Died at Manchester, daughter of Daniel Greenham, scalded with boiling water.
- 13 Feb 1856- Died 7 February of consumption, Harriet, wife of William Swing, Boone Co., Ky.
- 13 Feb 1856-Died ll February at the residence of her son-in-law Joseph Trester, in Washington township, Mrs. Conaway. In her 83rd year.
- 05 Mar 1856 Died in a wagon accident one mile west of Dillsboro, William Hartley of Ripley Co.
- 05 Mar 1856- Died last week, George Dixon, an old citizen of Franklin Co.
- 05 Mar 1856- Died near Moores Hill, Alex Brown, former constable of this city.
- 05 Mar 1856- Died Monday last in this city, of consumption, Mrs. Eliza L. Miller, wife of William S. Miller. Methodist.
- 18 Mar 1856- Died 7th ult, James Pottinger. Age 41. Mason and Oddfellow.

### THE STANDARD AND PRESS Aurora, Indiana

- 16 Apr 1856- Died 12 April this city, Charles Oscar, son of Thomas and Sarah Latimore. Age 1 year, 6 months, 16 days.
- 23 Apr 1856-Died in Illinois, Caleb Wright, formerly of Dearborn Co.
- 14 May 1856-Died 26th ult in this city, Rachel Eleanor, wife of Francis Moran and daughter of Thomas J. and Sarah Isgrigg. Age 21 years, 4 months, 21 days.
- 14 May 1856- Died Wednesday last at Moores Hill, Sarah Meriah, daughter of Jonathan Noble.
- 21 May 1856-Died 24 April near Kappa, Woodford Co., Ill., Sarah Ostler. Age 43. Native of England, to Lawrenceburg in 1849. Baptist. Six week old son also died.
- 28 May 1856-Died, young Cyrus Armstrong; accidently shot by friend Cornelius Weaver.
- 18 Jun 1856- Died 15 June, at the residence of her father near Harrison, Mrs. Sarah Wilson, wife of John J. Wilson, formerly of New York. In her 22nd year.
- 18 Jun 1856 Died last Saturday at his residence in Kentucky opposite Lawrenceburg, Lewis D. Morgan. Age 48 years, 11 months, 17 days.
- 18 Jun 1856- Died 9 June at New London, Pa. Mrs. Paulina Mason. Age 58.
- 02 Jul 1856-Died 27 June, Mr. Burris, father of Rev. E. W. Burris, following a long illness.
- 16 Jul 1856-Died at Rising Sun, a child of Mr. Steele. Believed to be food poisoning.
- 16 Jul 1856-Believed drowned: Joseph Marion Ewing. Disappeared from the flatboat of Jacob Cox near Waterproof, La. 2nd inst.
- 30 Jul 1856- Died 26th inst, Oliver Eugene, infant son of Francis and Rachel E. Moran. Age 4 months, 14 days.
- 06 Aug 1856 Died Tuesday 5th, at Lawrenceburg, Mary Emily Isherwood, daughter of Bolin Isherwood. Age 3 years, 5 months.
- 06 Aug 1856-Died Sunday morning last, Charles Edward Anderegg, infant son of John Anderegg, of Lawrenceburg. Age 14 months.
- 13 Aug 1856-Killed in a fight at Dover last friday, a man named

- Gleason. Stabbed by a man named Horner.
- 13 Aug 1856- Died 11th inst at Lawrenceburg, Anna, daughter of William and Lauranah Tate. Age 4 weeks.
- 20 Aug 1856- Died in Aurora of injuries suffered in a railroad collision, a man named Kelly. Leaves wife and three children.
- 17 Sep 1856 Died 7 September, Moores Hill, J. Lamberson. Age 17.
- 15 Oct 1856- Died 8th inst in this city, Daniel H. McClay, formerly of Lockport, N.Y. Age 22.
- 12 Nov 1856- Died last Friday in Rising Sun, Rev. James Jones, one of the oldest Methodist ministers in the state.
- 26 Nov 1856- Died in this city 27 (?) November, Actions C. Rubel, wife of Owen Rubel. Age 23.
- 14 Jan 1857- Died 9 January at Moores Hill, Jonathan Noble, Mason.
- 21 Jan 1857- Found frozen to death in Aurora, a man named Rauser. Had worked at the machine shop. Boarded at the Mansion House.
- 28 Jan 1857- Died 11th inst at Manchester, Jedde Clark, resident 30 to 40 years. Age 72.
- 04 Mar 1857- Died Tuesday last at the residence of his father Abram Rowland, near this city, Jacob Rowland. Age 22. Presbyterian. IOOF.
- 04 Mar 1857- Died Friday last in this city, Frank Burkam, son of E. G. Burkam, Esq. Age 2.
- 11 Mar 1857- Died 6th inst in Aurora, Mrs. Ann Rider, wife of James Rider. Age 30.
- 11 Mar 1857- Died 5th inst in Aurora, Charles Thomas, only son of Thomas and Elizabeth C. Folbre. Age 6 months, 15 days.
- 11 Mar 1857- Drowned last Friday, Michael Flannigan, fell from the steamboat Ohio en route to Cincinnati to attend the funeral of his wife's mother.
- 11 Mar 1857- Died Friday last in Lawrenceburg, Jacob J. Dennis, son of George B. Dennis. Age 25. IOOF.
- 25 Mar 1857- Died 15 March at Momence, Ill., Mrs. Jane Chatfield, formerly of Aurora, daughter of John Briddell, Sr. Baptist.
- 25 Mar 1857- Poem in memory of Anna Bemiss.
- 01 Apr 1857- Died Saturday last, Tom Lockhart.

08 Apr 1857- Died 3rd inst, Aurora, Mrs. Elizabeth Fenton. Age 81 years, 3 months, 3 days.

08 Apr 1857- Died 5th inst, Aurora, Joseph Winkley. Age about 45.

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- 09 Jan 1857- Died 2nd inst at Vevay, Julia D. Dumont.
- 30 Jan 1857- Died 18th inst at Rising Sun, Belle Rabb, daughter of David Rabb, of consumption. In her 17th year.
- 06 Feb 1857- Died Friday last in Rising Sun, a daughter of Jesse H. Jones, age 3. Mistakenly drank boiling water.
- 27 Feb 1857- Died 10 February at Vevay, Antoinette Morerod, nee Dufour, widow of John D. Morerod. Age nearly 76.
- 20 Mar 1857- Died Monday night, Willie, son of D. H. and Mary Pennewill. Age 2.
- 20 Mar 1857- Died, 16th, Reece P., son of ---- and Lucy H. Moore.
- 03 Apr 1857- Died Monday last, Agnes Maria, daughter of Dr. H. Wedelstadt. Age 2 years, 3 months.
- 03 Apr 1857- Died Friday last in Newtown, Mrs. Nevitt, wife of George Nevitt.
- 17 Apr 1857- Died 11th inst at Carollton, Ky., Amanda Ogle, daughter of the late John Gray of this city.
- 17 Apr 1857- Died 27 March John C., son of John and Julia Gindling. Age 6 years, 4 months.
- 24 Apr 1857- Died 18th inst, Dr. Ezra Ferris. Born Connecticut 26 April 1786. Came with father Isaac Ferris to Columbia 12 December 1789. Married Caty Thornell 5 December 1804. They had 10 children, four of whom survive. Married last wife, Mrs. Amanda Abbott, who survives, 6 November 1847; two children, one survives. Moved to Lawrenceburg 1807. Member of first Indiana Constitutional Convention in 1816. Grandson is William C. Ferris. Ezra Ferris was a doctor, in drug business 25 or 30 years. Baptist preacher.
- 05 Jun 1857- Died, Jacob W. Piatt, of Boone Co. Born 1800 in a house built by his grandfather, where he died. Served as judge of Hamilton Co., Ohio. Funeral at St. Xavier Catholic Church. Body taken to Logan Co.where most of his family is buried.
- 05 Jun 1857- Died 2 June at Chillicothe, Ohio, Willie, son of Addison and Z. M. Bookwalter, of smallpox. Age 2 years, 3 months.
- 05 Jun 1857- Died 30 May in Cleves, W. Harrell, Esq. Native of Frederick Co., Virginia. Moved to Ohio 1806. Age 71.

- 12 Jun 1857- Died 9th inst, John G. Dunn, had gone to New Orleans for his health. Inventor, writer, surgeon in the Mexican War. Age about 34. Son of George H. Dunn. Leaves wife and child.
- 12 Jun 1857- Memorial to Clark J. Durham.
- 26 Jun 1857- Died 14th inst at Evansville, Charles, son of Daniel and Marie Aker, of scarlet fever. Age 7.
- 03 Jul 1857- Died 14th ult at Cochran, Mrs. Mary Cochran, widow of Isaac Cochran, Sr. Age 77. Came here from Tennessee with her husband about 50 years ago. Baptist.
- 10 Jul 1857-Died Sunday last in this city, A. A. Powell, of consumption.
- 24 Jul 1857- Died 16th at the residence of his son B. Bradley, James W. Bradley at an advanced age.
- 16 Oct 1857- Died 13th inst, Versailles, Lizzie Vale, daughter of Charles and Harvenia Shook. Age 1 year, 9 months.
- 23 Oct 1857- Died yesterday, Enoch Hayes.
- 30 Oct 1857- Died 16th October, John Ryman, Esq., in his 53rd year. Son of Peter Ryman, born New Jersey. Studied law at Brookville under Sen. Noble. Married 10 March 1836 to Minerva J. Thompson, daughter of Rev. Dr. William Thompson of Fayette Co., Indiana. Moved to Lawrenceburg in 1841.
- 11 Dec 1857- Died Monday at Wilmington, Zera Vinson. Old and respected.

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- 02 Apr 1858- Coroner's Inquest: body of Henry Ritter, Jr. at the residence of Henry Ritter. Accidental drowning in the Whitewater Canal. Age 2 years, 9 months.
- 23 Apr 1858- Died 10th inst this city, Viola, daughter of Francis and Sarah Riddell. Age 2 years, 3 months.
- 23 Apr 1858- Died 20th inst this city, Mrs. Alvira Ballard, wife of William Ballard.
- 14 May 1858 Drowned at Aurora Thursday, William Hudson.
- 28 May 1858-Died 24 May, of smallpox, at the residence of Milton Wright, Wright's Corner, Owen Rubel, formerly of Washington Co., near Marietta. Age 30.
- 04 June 1858- Died at the residence of Isaac Miles, Esq., Aurora, of consumption, 19 May, Charlotte Lucretia, wife of Evan C. Miles, in her 23rd year. Daughter of John Quinn, Franklin Co., Kentucky. Married Mr. Miles in 1856.
- 02 Jul 1858- Coroner's Inquest: body of Mrs. Ellen Best, l July, death due to self-administered poison. Wife of M. Best, proprietor of the St. Charles Hotel.
- 09 Jul 1858- Died Saturday, 3rd, Ida Virginia, only child of Edwin and Rebecca L. Senior. Age 5 years, 6 months, 2 days.
- 09 Jul 1858- Coroner's Inquest: body of John Winkley, Aurora, 3 July. Accidental drowning. Brother drowned four years ago at the same place. Old resident of Center township.
- 16 Jul 1858 Died 8 July in Aurora, of consumption, Henry Morrow. Age about 36.
- 16 Jul 1858- Died 8 July in Aurora, John Norris, of consumption. Age 25.
- 23 Jul 1858- Died yesterday in this city, of the flux, Thomas Dunn Hervey. Age 2 years, 1 month.
- 23 Jul 1858- Died 17th, Lewis Ayers Groff, son of Robert and Christina Groff. Age 16 years, 6 days.
- 23 Jul 1858 Died, Friday last in Indianapolis, John Wesley Reed, employee of the Indianapolis and Cincinnati Rail Road.

- 23 Jul 1858-Drowned, Conrad Lemmel, and employee of Gaffs and Marshall. Fell between the wharf boats. Leaves wife and three children. Oldest child, a boy, has been crippled since birth.
- 30 Jul 1858- Died, 18 July in Dillsboro, Mrs. Annie E., wife of James Gatch, of apoplexy. Born 4 May 1831 in Cincinnati.
- 30 Jul 1858- Died 3 July at the residence of her husband James Billingsley, near Hartford, Mrs. Sarah Billingsley. Age 48. Born and brought up near Hardingsburgh. Methodist.
- 30 Jul 1858- Died 21st inst in this city, Julia Ann, daughter of William and Margaret Meek.
- 30 Jul 1858- Died at the residence of his son at Hardinsburgh, Abiah Hayes. Age about 85. Two sons and a daughter survive.
- 30 Jul 1858- Died, Frazee Tucker, an old resident of Franklin Co. Thrown from a wagon and killed.
- 06 Aug 1858- Died last night, Catherine, consort of John W. Henry of this city.
- 06 Aug 1858- Obituary for Abiah Hayes. Born 18 December 1780 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania. Made 33 trading trips to New Orleans. Returned home on foot 16 times through the Indian nations. Once went around by sea to Norfolk, Virginia to sell his cargo. Among those at the funeral: Judge Isaac Dunn who has been here 69 years, Job Miller and sister-in-law Sarah Miller, 68 years; Bailey Guard, 67 years.
- 13 Aug 1858- Died at Vevay Tuesday last, Robert Drummond, Judge for Ohio and Switzerland Co's.
- 13 Aug 1858 Died 6 August of congestive fever at the Bolander House in this city, V. D. Fralick, formerly of Athens, Pennsylvania. Age 30.
- 13 Aug 1858- Died Sunday last, Luella, daughter of Carter and Elizabeth Gazlay. Age 16 months.
- 13 Aug 1858- Coroner's Inquest: body of William Howard, age about 55, at the farm of Jacob Hayes. Verdict: exposure.
- 27 Aug 1858-Died Thursday 5th, Sparta township, Elijah Fuller. Age 75 years, 3 months. Native of Pennsylvania. Came here in 1818. Helped to found Sparta Free Will Baptist Church in 1824.
- 27 Aug 1858- Died 16th near Patriot, Mrs. Cordelia Gurley, wife of Jason Gurley. Age 42.
- 27 Aug 1858- Died 18th inst at his residence in Jackson township, of jaunders, John Hendrixson. Age 58 years, 7 months, 17 days. Leaves wife, 7 sons, 2 daughters. Buried by his son near Squire Connelly's.

- 17 Sep 1858-Died 8 September, Ammi Wilson, of typhus fever. Age 75 years, 4 months, 28 days. Leaves widow to whom he was married in 1806, six children. Born Summerset Co., Maine 10 April 1783. Moved to Ripley Co. in 1825.
- 24 Sep 1858-Died 16 September of pneumonia at Prattsburgh, Ripley Co., Mrs. Margaret Jones. Age 72, a native of Farmington, Maine. Married Samuel Jones, Sr. in Maine 52 years ago.
- 24 Sep 1858- Died 15th in E'town, Ohio, Thomas Hunt. Age 71. Emigrated from New Jersey in 1806.
- 24 Sep 1858- Died Saturday last in this city, Charlie, son of Cyrus and Catherine Armstrong. Age 2.
- 22 Oct 1858 Suicide, Switzerland Co., Mrs. Mary Montgomery, a widow. Age 65.
- 22 Oct 1858- Died 12 October at his residence in Lawrenceburg township, William Newby. Age 26.
- 29 Oct 1858- Died 22nd inst at Saltillo, Dearborn Co., of pleurisy, Daniel D. Morgan. Leaves wife and three small children.
- 05 Nov 1858 Coroner's Inquest: body of Frederick Notmair at the residence of Frederick Frazier. Self administered poison.
- 05 Nov 1858- Died 14th inst at St. Peter, Minnesota, Mary L Howes, wife of Alfred F. Howes, daughter of George Buell. Age 28 years, 5 months. Moved to Minnesota in 1854.
- 12 Nov 1858- Coroner's Inquest: body of a woman, Bemime Coolman, found dead in the waters of Whitaker's Branch, Sparta township. Age about 33. Natural causes.
- 24 Dec 1858- Died 19 December, Eliza Ann Randall, wife of John E. Randall, daughter of Jesse and Catherine Wilson, in her 22nd year. At her home near Mt. Tabor.
- 24 Dec 1858-Died 16th inst in this city, John C. Fremont, son of William and Amanda Howard. Age 16 months.

#### THE HOOSIER STATE Lawrenceburg, Indiana

- 15 Sep 1858- Died Saturday last at Manchester, Rev. Daniel Plummer, in the 74th year of his age.
- 29 Sep 1858- Resolution of Respect, Moores Hill Lodge #127 IOOF on death of John A. Wills.
- 13 Oct 1858- Died, Adam Bitner.
- 13 Oct 1858- Died Thursday last at Miamitown, Ohio, Revolutionary veteran Jonas Frazee. Age 103.
- 27 Oct 1858- Sgt. Schwartz, brother of L. C. Schwartz, was supposedly killed by Commanche Indians 2nd of this month. In 2nd Cavalry at Ft. Arbuckle, Texas.
- 01 Dec 1858- Died, a two year old daughter of Abram Lozier.
- 08 Dec 1858- Resolution of Respect- pupils of the high school on the death of their associate Margaret Hodel.
- 15 Dec 1858- Died 3 December, Manchester township, Hugh Alexander, an Irishman, of delirium tremens.
- 02 Feb 1859- Died 13 January at his home in Miller township, Capt. Jonathan Blasdel. Born 22 June 1791, Strafford Co., New Hampshire. In October 1799 came with family to the Ohio Valley, near Cincinnati, and in 1805 to Tanner's Creek, Cherry Bottoms. Married 1815 Nancy Cooper, who survives. Had 11 children, 8 are living. Universalist.
- 02 Feb 1859- Died, Leonard Mulfinger, father of Mrs. Lewis Lamping. Age about 72.
- 02 Feb 1859- Died 2 February, Mrs. Mary Buell, wife of Mr. P. Buell, daughter of the late Hon. Amos Lane.
- 08 June 1859- Died 14 May, Reuben Dawson. Born 18 March 1811 one mile from Guilford. In 1831 studies surveying with Samuel Morrison and law with George H. Dunn; 1832 moved to Ft. Wayne; 1840 moved to Spencerville, where he died; 1846 married Miss Minerva Catlin, who survives. Three sons. Candidate for Congress 1858.
- 15 Jun 1859- Died 11 June at Florence, Rev. Calvin Ruter of the M.E. Church. Residence one mile below Patriot. Burial Patriot.
- 29 Jun 1859- Died, all in Manchester township: 21 June Joseph Greenham, age about 30; Saturday evening last Mrs. Elijah Robbins, age about 45; Sunday last at the home of her son-in-law A. J. Cotton, Mrs. Elizabeth Noyes, age 86; Monday, Mrs. Hulse, age 82.

- 13 Jul 1859- Died 24 June, in this city, Mrs. Augusta Ann Lewis, wife of L. B. Lewis, daughter of the late Thomas Prentice of Lexington, Kentucky, where she was educated. Methodist. Step-mother to Lewis' children.
- 13 Jul 1859- Died 27 June this city Alfred H. son of Robert C. and Adaline Pate. Age 3 months, 21 days.
- 03 Aug 1859- Died Monday in this city, Isaac N. Kaufman, of spinal disease.
- 03 Aug 1859 Died Monday in Newtown, Mrs. Mary Mathus, wife of George Mathus, engineer of the I&CRR.
- 03 Aug 1859- Died Monday of flux, Frederick, son of T. J. Lucas and lady.
- 17 Aug 1859 Died Monday, an infant son of James Hedrick.
- 24 Aug 1859-Died Saturday last near E'town, Ohio, Jacob Bonham.
- 05 Oct 1859- Died, Manchester township, at the home of his grand daughter, Richard Platt, in his 85th year. Born in the East 30 June 1776.
- 05 Oct 1859 Died, Manchester township, Father Clark. Mother Clark died 15 years hence. Twelve children including Josiah and Hiram Clark.
- 26 Oct 1859- Died 13 October, Manchester, Mrs. Anna Elizabeth, wife of Dr. G. H. Plummer, in her 21st year. Daughter of George W. and Mary Blasdell. Her father died when she was very young; mother died when she was 15. Became a Methodist in 1857. Married October 1857.
- 17 Nov 1859- Died 19 October at residence of his son-in-law Luther Plummer, Job Sylvester, in his 93rd year. Born Hanover, Plymouth Co., Massachusetts in 1767. Came to Indiana with his wife in 1842. She died 1851.
- 17 Nov 1859 Died 31st ult, Mexico, Missouri, William Cullen Ferris, grandson of Dr. Ezra Ferris. Age 29. Born Lawrenceburg.

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- 22 Jul 1859 Drowned at the mouth of the Miami River, John Masterson and two Irishmen living near Garrison, Kentucky.
- 16 Sep 1859- Died 6th ult, Darwin Hathaway, oldest son of Daniel Hathaway, Esq.
- 16 Sep 1859- Died Monday morning at his residence on Manchester Ridge three miles from this city, Abram Roland, an old citizen. IOOF.
- 16 Sep 1859- Murder near Versailles. John Windsor, born England, and 18 year old son, killed with an axe wielded by their wife and mother (maiden name Van Dolah). She cut her own throat and died. Family had moved to Versailles from Dillsboro.
- 23 Sep 1859- Died 16th inst at Versailles, Annie Theresa, infant daughter of Charles N. and Harvenia Shook. Age 13 months.
- 14 Oct 1859- Died 5th inst at the residence of her father George Greer, Washington township, Miss Elizabeth Greer.
- 14 Oct 1859- Died 1st inst at the residence of his father John Terril, Boone Co., Kentucky, James Terril In his 23rd year.
- 21 Oct 1859- Died Tuesday last at Guilford, Matilda, daughter of A. K. Campbell.
- 11 Nov 1859- Died in a fall in Cincinnati, Jesse H. Smith, formerly of this city, a brickmason.
- 02 Dec 1859- Died Sunday in Rising Sun, Samuel Best, in his 87th year.
- 16 Dec 1859- Died in Sparta township, in a fall from a ladder, Joseph Churchill.
- 16 Dec 1859- Died 10th inst, in Ripley Co., John B. Sands, Esq.
- 23 Dec 1859- Obituary for Job Sylvester. Born 9 September 1767. His father died at the age of 96, his mother at 90. Leaves one brother, 4 sisters, the youngest is 45 and the oldest 82. Had 9 children, 4 daughters and 5 sons, all of whom survive, the youngest being 45 and the oldest 68. There were 44 grandchildren, all of whom survive except 5, all children of Capt. Benjamin Sylvester of St. Paul, Minnesota. There were 75 great grandchildren, all of whom survive except 10 or 12.
- 23 Dec 1859- Murdered, Brown township, Ripley Co., John McFarland.

#### AURORA COMMERCIAL Aurora, Indiana

- 02 Jun 1859- Died 20 May, East Bend, Boone Co., Kentucky, William Ewalt, formerly of Pennsylvania.
- 30 Jun 1859- Died 21 June, Carrie, daughter of F. and Sarah Mullbarger. Age 8 months, 7 days.
- 14 Jul 1859- Murdered near Big Bone, Boone Co., Kentucky, William Kelly, in an argument with William Ross.
- 08 Sep 1859- Died 2nd inst of consumption, at the residence of her father Capt. Richard Parker, Boone Co., Kentucky, Miss Lue Parker.
- 08 Sep 1859 Died last Saturday or Sunday near Milan, James Craven, formerly of Burlington, Boone Co., Kentucky. Killed in railroad accident. Taken to Kentucky for burial.
- 29 Sep 1859- Killed Tuesday in Aurora when hit by a train, a little negro girl, age about 8, belonging to Mrs. Paschal Rucker of East Bend (Kentucky).
- 06 Oct 1859- Died in Boone Co., Kentucky, Col. John Cave, of Burlington. Killed by a fall.
- 01 Dec 1859 Drowned in a flat boat accident near Patriot, Hannibal Williamson of Aurora, formerly of Petersburg, Kentucky.
- 19 Jan 1860- Died 15th inst Mrs. Ruth Eckles, wife of William Eckles. Methodist.
- 26 Jan 1860- Scalded to death Monday last, by a falling pot of coffee, a little child of Mr. Madden's.
- 02 Feb 1860- Died 17th inst at Seymour, Charlie F., only son of Orson and Nancy T. Miller. Age 3 years 6 months, Burial in New Albany beside his brother.
- 23 Feb 1860- Died 15th inst in this city, Frank, son of William and Ellen Walker. Age 8 months, 7 days.
- 23 Feb 1860-Drowned last Friday, Mrs. Roberts, wife of Nathan Roberts. Lived at the railroad bridge across Laughery Creek. Fell through the ice.
- 01 Mar 1860-Killed by a falling tree limb, John Pope, Boone Co., Kentucky.
- 08 Mar 1860- Died 24 February of whooping cough, Bertha, youngest daughter of William P. and Mary Davis. Age 1 year, 4 months.

- 08 Mar 1860- Died 28 February, of whooping cough, Mollie, daughter of William P. and Mary Davis. Age 4 years, 4 days.
- 08 Mar 1860- Died 1st inst, of whooping cough, Mary Tickenor, daughter of A.W. and M.C. Freeman. Age 2 years, 4 months, 10 days.
- 08 Mar 1860- Died 4th inst in Petersburg, Kentucky, Henrietta Reese, in her 15th year.
- 22 Mar 1860- Died Tuesday last in Rising Sun, Abel C. Pepper.
- 29 Mar 1860-Died 20 March at her residence in Aurora, Mrs. Malvina Fenton, wife of William Fenton, in her 35th year. Born Royalton, Niagara Co., New York. Moved to Aurora in 1841 with mother, sisters and brothers.
- 05 Apr 1860-Died 28th ult, Robert Oliver, infant son of L.M. and Alla M. Foulk. Age 3 months, 16 days.
- 05 Apr 1860- Found dead at the mouth of Island Branch, Ohio Co., a man named Dunlap. Shot to death. Had been dead for some time.
- 19 Apr 1860- Died Wednesday last at Havana, Illinois, Robert H. Walker. Born near Aurora 16 April 1825. Lived for many years at Havana. Methodist.
- 03 May 1860- Resolution of Respect on death of C. Bird Pate. (IOOF).
- 07 Jun 1860- Died 30 May, William D. Austin, treasurer and collector for the city of Aurora. Age 40. ICOF.
- 07 Jun 1860- Shot and killed in Ohio Co. Tuesday last, James Shepherd. By James Gibbons, his son-in-law. Shepherd was prosecuting a suit of divorce on behalf of his daughter.
- 21 Jun 1860- Died near Burlington, Boone Co., Kentucky, William Rouse.
- 12 Jul 1860 Drowned Monday last in Hogan Creek, a nine year old son of William Ragsdale.
- 12 Jul 1860- Died 2 July at the home of James N. Stephens, Mrs. Elizabeth Rice, wife of William Rice, in her 24th year.
- 09 Aug 1860-Killed by a train Sunday last at Dillsboro Station, James Kinney. Leaves wife and children.
- 06 Sep 1860- Died 24th ult, at the residence of R. Q. Terrill, Pamela Riddle. Age about 17.
- 20 Sep 1860- Died 11th inst of typhoid fever, Miss Catherine Walter, in her 22nd year.

- 04 Oct 1860- Died 19th at his residence in Hartford, Selah Holliday, in his 73rd year. Mason.
- 08 Nov 1860- Two persons have died in this city during the past week, G.K. Stratton and Mrs. M.E. Worley.
- 22 Nov 1860-Killed in a railroad accident in Cochran, James Leonard. Leaves wife and two children.
- 29 Nov 1860-Died 17th inst, in Rising Sun, Hon. William H. Gregory, late editor of the Rising Sun Visitor, and representative in the legislature, in his 28th year.

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- 16 Aug 1860- Died Saturday last, Lemuel Hudson, an old and esteemed citizen.
- 11 Oct 1860- Died at Aurora, Frank Isgrigg, fell into a trench. Leaves mother, brothers, sisters. Methodist.
- 11 Oct 1860- Died at Pleasant View, Manchester township, Delilah Dixon, wife of Hewitt Dixon in her 76th year. Born Maryland, moved to Pleasant View 20 years ago. Methodist.

#### DEMOCRAFIC REGISTER Lawrenceburg, Indiana

- 06 Jan 1860- Died at Aurora Friday last, Mrs. A. Lozier, sister of Henry Pierce of this city.
- 06 Jan 1860-Died near this city Sunday last, Patrick Madigan, watchman of the railroad bridge at the "Shoals".
- 06 Jan 1860- Died Saturday last, William McAllister, colored, minister. Age about 75. Burial in Cincinnati.
- 13 Jan 1860-Died 1 January in Washington, D.C., Isaac Blackford. Age about 75. Born New Brunswick, New Jersey. Father died while he was young, mother in 1830. Graduate of Princeton, moved to Indiana 1807; was friend of Isaac Dunn. Served as assistant clerk, Indiana Territorial Legislature in 1807; studied law in Lawrenceburg and Brookville in 1812, going to Vincennes with John Test to procure his license to practice. Served as cashier of the Territorial Bank of Indiana in Vevay. Appointed Circuit Judge 14 September 1814, served until 24 January 1816. Member of Legislature.
- 20 Jan 1860- Died at Aurora Friday a three year old son of Francis Wymond and a daughter of Irvin Trester.
- 27 Jan 1860- Died 17 January at the residence of her mother Elizabeth Protzman, near Dayton, Ohio, Annie, wife of Charles W. Temple. Age 26.
- 27 Jan 1860-Died Monday last, a child of William Madden. Age 14 months.
- 03 Feb 1860- Died 19 January at Ft. Wayne, Col. John Spencer. Born Bourbon Co., Kentucky 8 February 1787, to Dearborn Co. same year (Note: This must an error.). Served in militia. Elected Captain 1816. Sheriff of Dearborn Co. 1822, 1824, 1826, 1830. Receiver of public monies at Ft. Wayne, appointed 1831-1840.
- 10 Feb 1860- Murder in Ohio Co., Pike township; Henry Freaks allegedly shot by John Leatherbury, who is held for trial.
- 10 Feb 1860- Decker Crozier, an old citizen, was buried last week. Nearly 100 years old.
- 10 Feb 1860- Died, 8th inst, Elizabethtown, Ohio, Jacob Hunt, brother of Jesse Hunt of this city.
- 17 Feb 1860- Drowned, Sunday at Aurora. Man named ----- Curtis, of Covington, Kentucky. Fell from the wharf boat.
- 09 Mar 1860-Died 2 March at his residence in this city, John W.

- Henry. Age 38 years. Mason.
- 16 Mar 1860- Died Friday last, Richard Merrill.
- 16 Mar 1860- Died 12th inst near Wright's Corner, Robert Owen. Age about 70.
- 23 Mar 1860- Obituary for Robert Owen. Died 11 March. Native of Sussex Co., New York. To Indiana 1815 with his father. Settled on the farm where he died. Methodist.
- 30 Mar 1860- Killed when run over by a train Wednesday last in this city, Oscar Orrill , son of Thomas B. Orrill, watchman at the I & C depot.
- 06 Apr 1860- Died 29th inst at the home of his father, Lawrenceburg township, Henry Clay Laird. Age 17 years, 8 months, 9 days. Methodist.
- 18 May 1860- Died 14th inst, Henry Elmore Dill, son of Hazeniah and Jane W. Dill of Manchester. Age 8 years, 6 months, 14 days.
- 18 May 1860-Resolution of Respect on death of William S. Speakman who died at Davenport, Iowa 30 April. (Chosen Friends Lodge #13).
- 18 May 1860-Obituary of Shubal L. Meader who died in his 54th year at Beaverville, Iroquois Co., Illinois. Born Industry, Maine, where he married and had four sons and one daughter. His wife died and he moved to Indiana to join his uncle Rev. Elder H. Meader in 1844. He married widow Rice, sister to Capt. Benjamin Sylvester and a few years ago moved to Illinois. His daughter is Mrs. Sarah Dixon of Pleasantview.
- 18 May 1860- Resolution of Respect on death of Henry Jackson.(Burns Lodge #55, F & AM)
- 18 May 1860- Died Wednesday night in this city, Mrs. Mary Elizabeth, wife of Elkana Janes. Age about 37. Presbyterian.
- 08 Jun 1860- Died 7th inst at the residence of George Arnold near Harrison, George Baldridge, formerly of this city. Burial Newtown cemetery. Mason.
- 29 Jun 1860-Died Tuesday last at Aurora, a daughter of Martin Koehler. Fell from a wagon and suffered a fractured skull.
- 06 Jul 1860- Coroner's Inquest: body of John Akins, found dead in bed, Manchester township. Natural causes.
- 06 Jul 1860- Obituary for I. Newton Bookwalter, who died 30 June at the residence of his father-in-law Mr. Pontious near Kingston, Ohio. Brother of the editor of the Register. Born Colerain township, Ross Co., Ohio 16 September 1826. Father died in 1840. Mother died 21

April 1835.

28 Sep 1860-Died 8th September at Greenwood, Indiana, Mary G. Dill, wife of A. J. Dill, formerly of this city. Daughter of Rev. Daniel Roberts of Manchester. Age 46 years, 7 months, 15 days.

28 Sep 1860- Died 7th inst in Manchester township, William Rodden, in his 51st year.

28 Sep 1860-Died 13 September at his residence in Columbus, Indiana, Joseph C. McCracken. Age 32 years, 5 months, 4 days. Brought here for burial in Sugar Grove cemetery. IOOF.

26 Oct 1860- Died 12 October at his residence in Hogan township, John H. Bruce, born Scotland. Age 62. Had lived in this county 28 years. Fell from a wagon.

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