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### EIGHTEENTH CENTURY NEWSPAPERS

#### CONNECTICUT

#### DANBURY.

Farmer's Chronicle. est. June 17, 1793.

Note: This paper is the outgrowth of the Farmer's Journal, published from 1790 to 1793 by Douglas and Ely.

Printers, publishers, Editors, etc.

Edwards Ely.

L. C. file contains:

1795. Mar. 16.

Farmer's Journal. est. Mar. 18, 1790.

Printers, Publishers, Editors, etc.

Nathan Douglas and Edwards Ely.

L. C. file contains:

1790. May 6. 1792. Aug. 18.

#### HARTFORD.

American Mercury. w. est. July 12, 1784.

Printers, Publishers, Editors, etc.

Oct. 25, 1784, to June 6, 1785, Joel Barlow and Elisha Babcock. Mar. 13, 1786, to Oct. 19, 1795, Elisha Babcock.

L. C. file contains:

1784. Oct. 25.

Nov. 22, 29.

Mutilated: Nov. 22, 29.

1785. Jan. 17, 24.

Apr. 11, 25.

June 6.

1786. Mar. 13.

Sept. 4. Mutilated: Sept. 4.

1790. Jan. 11. 1791. Mar. 28.

Mutilated: Mar. 28.

1792. Mar. 5.

Mutilated: Mar. 5.

1794. Sept. 8.

Nov. 17.

Dec. 15.

Mutilated: Dec. 15.

1795. Oct. 19.

Connecticut Courant. w. est. Dec. 3, 1764.

Title varies:

June 7, 1774, The "Connecticut Courant and Hartford Weekly Intelligencer."

Feb. 24, 1778, The "Connecticut Courant and Weekly Intelligencer."

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#### HARTFORD.

Connecticut Courant-Continued.

Printers, Publishers, Editors, etc.

Dec. 3, 1764, Thomas Green.

April 25, 1768, Green and Watson.

June 4, 1771, Ebenezer Watson.

Jan. 13, 1778, Watson and Goodwin.

Mar. 2, 1779, Hudson and Goodwin.

#### L. C. file contains:

1764. Oct. 29 (specimen number).

1766. Aug. 11, 25.

Sept. 8, 22, 29.

Oct. 20, 27.

Nov. 3, 10, 24.

Dec. 1, 8, 15, 22.

Supplement: Sept. 15.

Mutilated: Sept. 22.

1767. Jan. 5 to Dec. 28. 1 vol.

Missing: Feb. 9, 16, Apr. 6, 13, 20, July 6, Aug. 31, Dec. 21, 28.

1768. Jan. 4 to Dec. 28.

Supplement: Aug. 8, Sept. 12, Nov. 21.

Mutilated; Apr. 4.

Missing: Jan. 4, 11, Feb. 1, 15, 22, 29, May 2, 9, 16, June 6, 27, Aug. 1, 15, 22, Sept. 5, Nov. 21, Dec. 7, 21, 28.

1769. Jan. 2 to Dec. 25.

Mutilated: Aug. 21.
Missing: Feb. 6, Mar. 13, 20, 27, Apr. 3, 10, May 8, 22, 29,
June 5, 12, 26, July 24, Aug. 7, Oct. 30, Nov. 13, Dec. 4,

18, 25.

1770. Feb. 12, 26.

Mar. 5.

Apr. 16, 23.

May 7.

July 16, 30.

Aug. 20, 27.

Sept. 10.

Oct. 2.

Nov. 13, 20.

Dec. 11.

Mutilated: Nov. 13.

1771. Jan. 8, 15, 29.

June 4.

July 2, 23, 30.

Aug. 6, 20, 27.

Sept. 10, 17.

Oct. 1, 8, 22, 29.

Nov. 5, 26.

Dec. 31.

Supplement: June 25, July 25.

Mutilated: July 30.

1772. Jan. 21, 28.

Feb. 4, 18, 25.

Mar. 3, 10.

Apr. 7, 28.

#### HARTFORD.

Connecticut Courant-Continued.

L. C. file contains:

1772. May 19.

July 7.

Aug. 4, 11, 18.

Sept. 1, 8, 15, 22, 29. Oct. 13, 20.

Nov. 10, 24.

Dec. 1, 22.

Extraordinary: July 30.

Mutilated: Dec. 1, 22,

1773. Jan. 5 to Dec. 28. 1 vol.

Supplement: Dec. 7.

Mutilated: June 1, Aug. 31, Sept. 14.

Missing: Mar. 2, May 11, Aug. 10, Sept. 7, Oct. 19, Nov.

16, 23,

1774. Jan. 4, to Dec. 26. 1 vol.

Extraordinary: Apr. 1, Sept. 15.

Supplement: Apr. 8, June 21.

Mutilated: Feb. 22, Sept. 6. Missing: Jan. 11, 18.

-1775. Jan. 2 to Dec. 11. 1 vol.

Supplement: Apr. 10, 20.

Note: Dec. 11, No. 572 was the last issue for 1775.

1776. Jan. 15 to Dec. 30. 1 vol.

Mutilated: Nov. 25, Dec. 16.

Missing: May 13, June 17.

Note: Jan. 15, No. 573 was the first issue for 1776.

1777. Jan. 6 to Dec. 30. 1 vol.

1778. Jan. 6 to Dec. 29. 1 vol.

Mutilated: Feb. 3, Sept. 15, Oct. 6, Dec. 1.

Missing: Aug. 18.

1779. Jan. 5 to Dec. 28. 1 vol.

Mutilated: Apr. 27, July 13, Nov. 9, Dec. 28.

1780. Jan. 4 to Dec. 26. 1 vol.

Mutilated: Jan. 11, Feb. 29, Dec. 12.

Missing: Jan. 25, Feb. 8, Aug. 29.

1781. Jan. 2 to Dec. 25. 1 vol. -

Mutilated: Dec. 4.

1782. Jan. 1 to Dec. 31. 1 vol. Mutilated: Jan. 22, June 11.

1783. Jan. 7 to Dec. 30. 1 vol.

Supplement: Sept. 2, 9.

Mutilated: Nov. 4.

Missing: Sept. 9, 16, 30, Oct. 7, 21, 28, Nov. 11, 18, 25,

Dec. 23, 30.

1784. Mar. 16.

Apr. 6, 20, 27.

June 1, 15, 29.

Sept. 7, 21, 28.

Oct. 5.

Nov. 9, 30.

Dec. 21.

Mutilated: Oct. 5.