

Lineage No.: **RICHMOND 08**

Group Title: **The Observatory**

Variant 01: The Observatory or A View of the Times

Publication Data: July 3, 1797 to September 10, 1798 2/week (Mon, Thu)

Proprietors: John Dixon

IVP Associates: John Dixon Jr. (141)

Notes: Successor to Dixon's *Richmond Chronicle* [Richmond 04], issued 10 months (or 44 weeks) after he had closed that predecessor.

References: LCCN No. 86-071812; Brigham II: 1141.

Variant 02: Dixon's Observatory

Publication Data: September 13, 1798 to November 29, 1798 2/week (Mon, Thu)

Proprietors: John Dixon

IVP Associates: John Dixon Jr. (141)

Notes: Title altered to better associate failing paper with its proprietor/editor; last number issued on Thursday November 29, 1798; Dixon then joined public-printer Meriwether Jones to publish new journal-of-record for state following Monday: *The Examiner* [Richmond 09].

References: LCCN No. 85-025988; Brigham II: 1141.
