

Lineage No.: **STAUNTON 05**

Group Title: **Staunton Eagle**

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**Variant 01a: Staunton Eagle**

Publication Data: July 24, 1807 to after March 5, 1811 Weekly

Proprietors: Jacob D. Dietrich

IVP Associates: Jacob D. Dietrich (135)

Notes: A "mildly" Republican weekly first issued on July 24, 1807, as indicated by earliest number now extant from August 14, 1807 (l:4). Bankruptcy of paper mill on nearby Mossy Creek obliged Dietrich to suspend paper's publication for most of early 1810 (after February 14 to June 20), except for occasional advertising sheets and three weekly issues in April prior to adjournment of 1st session of the 11th Congress, for which he was a publisher of its acts. Latest surviving number known is that of October 27, 1810; yet, paper continued well into 1811, as Dietrich advertised for a journeyman to conduct this office from March 5 to April 20, 1811, in the *National Intelligencer*, anticipating his removal to Lancaster, Ohio, where he started publishing the *Ohio Eagle* in May 1811; this paper evidently expired a month or so before that commencement.

References: LCCN No. 84-024622; Brigham II: 1154.

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**Variant 01b: Der Deutsche Virginier Adler**

Publication Data: By January 29, 1808 to after November 18, 1809 Weekly

Proprietors: Jacob D. Dietrich

IVP Associates: Jacob D. Dietrich (135)

Notes: German-language edition of Dietrich's *Staunton Eagle*. Only number known extant is that issued November 18, 1809, indicating that cessation came after that date; start date seen here is as reported in English-language edition. Dietrich suspended publication for want of help in his office on April 8, 1808 for an unknown period; only surviving issue is recorded as "Nr. 54," showing that just 54 numbers were issued over the 94 weeks elapsing from its start, meaning either one forty-week hiatus or multiple interruptions over the paper's life; latter option is the more likely, as Dietrich suspended his English paper at least once for want of paper upon which to print.

References: LCCN No. 85-026854; Brigham II: 1154.

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