

Quick Facts

- **Early American Newspapers, Series 7 presents more than 160 historical American newspapers**
- **Expanded coverage from from every region of the United States**
- **Newspapers of special historical significance, regional weeklies and big-city dailies**
- **Based on authoritative bibliographies from Clarence S. Brigham, Winifred Gregory and others**
- **Digitized from the holdings of the American Antiquarian Society, Kansas Historical Society, the Library of Congress, Wisconsin Historical Society and other institutions**
- **Easily view, magnify, print and save digital facsimiles**
- **Shares a common interface with all other America's Historical Newspapers series**
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